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Tommy VandeVelde of St. Joseph practices his street hockey skills on an unused basketball court Wednesday afternoon at Kiwanis Park in St. Joseph. The city is asking residents for input about parks and possible improvements.

City seeks input on parks improvement plan

By JULIE SWIDWA
HP Staff Writer

ST. JOSEPH — Residents have until the end of the month to let their voices be heard regarding what they would like to see in the way of improvements at St. Joseph city-owned parks.

Suzanne Fromson, landscape architect with Edgewater Resources, said ideas were discussed at a recent open house held online.

The city is gathering input for an update of the St. Joseph Parks & Recreation Master Plan. Edgewater Resources is the design and planning firm that will produce the plan.

Parks within the city include Tiscornia Park, West Basin Marina, Lake Bluff Park, Upton Arboretum, Whirlpool Centennial Park, Old St. Joseph Neighborhood Park, Point Park, Howard Family Trail, Lions Park, Kiwanis Park, Dickinson Park, Milton Park, Lookout Park, Whittlesey Park, Tiny Tots Park and Riverview Park.

Fromson said Edgewater has gathered input from over a dozen local stakeholder groups, including the library, Krasl Art Center, Public Safety Department, the Southwest Michigan Disability Network,

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Lake Bluff Park in St. Joseph is a popular destination for walkers, joggers and bikers, though it is just one of many parks in the city.

Paredes juvenile lifer hearing delayed

Defendant testifies on own behalf

By LOUISE WREGE
HP Staff Writer

ST. JOSEPH — A hearing to consider resentencing Efran Paredes Jr. for a crime he was found guilty of committing when he was 15 was put on hold after Wednesday's testimony, due to an expert for the defense being unavailable due of a family emergency.

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Berrien County Trial Court Judge Charles LaSata said the hearing will resume when the expert is available, possibly in December.

Paredes, now 46, was sentenced in 1989 to then-mandatory life without parole in the shooting death earlier that year of Richard Tetzlaff, 28, at Roger's Vineland supermarket when it was on Vineland Avenue in St. Joseph Township.

LaSata could decide to uphold the life without parole sentence if he finds that Paredes is irreparably corrupted and has not been rehabilitated. Or, LaSata could resentence Paredes to a minimum of 25 to 40 years, with a maximum of 60 years possible. Paredes has already served 31 years.

If resentenced, it doesn't mean Paredes would automatically go free. Defense attorney Stuart Friedman, based in Southfield, said it would give Paredes a

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Have you seen these homes?

Couple on a quest to solve mystery of two South Haven houses in painting

By BECKY KARK
For The Herald-Palladium

SOUTH HAVEN — For 15 years, Larry and Linda Barnhart have enjoyed a watercolor painting in their home that depicts two historic, attractive two-story South Haven homes.

They purchased the painting at an antique store in Coloma to place in their newly purchased second home in South Haven.

"On the price tag was written 'South Haven, 1973,'" Larry Barnhart said. "The painting is a watercolor of two houses on a tree-lined street. The colors of the painting and the matting fit perfectly into the dining area of our house in South Haven and the painting itself has a simple charm that makes you want to gaze into it."

The couple enjoys the painting partially because it was dated the same year they got married, but they remained curious about where the homes were located and about the identity of the artist.

"Through the years we have wondered about the two houses and where they might be located," Larry said. "Several excursions throughout the north and south sides never turned up any homes that looked similar, so we just forgot about it."

But earlier this year, the Barnharts began their quest yet again.

"We thought it might be interesting to find the artist," Larry said. "The painting is signed on the front, 'M Sokolski' and on the back is the name, 'Marjorie Sokolski,'

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Photo provided

The painting, above, by the late Marjorie Sokolski of Kalamazoo shows two homes in South Haven during the early 1970s. It has been hanging in the home of South Haven residents Larry and Linda Barnhart for the past 15 years. The couple, who recently became acquainted with the artist's daughter, Camille Johnson, are now on a quest to see if the two homes still exist.

What do we know about superspreader events in the pandemic?

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

What do we know about superspreader events in the pandemic?

We're still learning, but it seems that much of the spread of the coronavirus has been caused by what disease trackers call superspreader events.

That's when a single person infects a large number of other people, or when a gathering is linked to a large number of cases.

There's no rule for when a cluster of cases is big enough to be called a superspreader event. But these are not instances of spread within one household. Instead, these are large clusters of cases where infection occurs in settings such as churches, restaurants or bars.

In the United States, for instance, a choir member with symptoms attended a rehearsal in March. Of 60 others who attended, 52 got sick with COVID-19, including two who died.

In Hong Kong, an outbreak at four bars infected 39 customers, 20 staff members and 14 musicians before ballooning further to infect 33 family members and other contacts.

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along with a phone number. We began with that."

Sleuthing on the internet, they found that a Marjorie Sokolski had indeed lived in Kalamazoo at one time. That led them to talk to a librarian at the Kalamazoo Library who conducted research and told them Sokolski had died in 1996 at the age of 74.

"At first, we thought that might be the end of it. But another (online) site gave us the name of a potential relative along with a phone number and address," Larry said. "We called and left a message. Two days later, we got a reply from a lady named Camille Johnson."

It turned out that Johnson, who lives near Detroit, was the daughter of Sokolski, and she remembered the painting quite well.

Johnson said in an interview this week that her mother spent many of her adult years painting as a hobby.

"She frequently went into South Haven with a group of friends who all liked to paint," Johnson said. "They met through classes at the Gilmore Art Museum in Kalamazoo. I'm familiar with the painting."

But even Johnson doesn't know where the two homes featured in the painting were located.

Johnson she became intrigued after the Barnharts contacted her.

"It was interesting that somebody was interested in her painting enough to track it down," Johnson said.

Whether the historic homes still exist is unknown, but Johnson and the Barnharts still hope to solve the mystery.

"That is my brother's assignment," said Johnson, of her brother who lives in Kalamazoo. "We're thinking it must be around the Black River. She liked to paint around the Black River. ... She did a lot of florals and a lot of scenery. She really liked Lake Michigan."

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and others. She said topics discussed during the open house included concerns about safety and accessibility at St. Joseph's public beaches, requests for additional park amenities such as lighting, seating and bike racks, and ideas for citywide improvements such as new sports facilities and safe trail connections for pedestrians and cyclists.

A survey is available online at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MK953W6 and will be open through the end of October. Fromson said the public's input will help shape priorities for parks and recreation improvements over the next five years and beyond.

Hard copies of the survey are available at the library, St. Joseph City Hall and St. Joseph Today office.

A draft master plan will be presented to the public in early December.

Anyone wishing to receive project updates and/or meeting announcements or reminders is encouraged to take the survey and share their email address at the end, or email project manager Suzanne Fromson at sfromson@edgewaterresources.com.

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LOTTERIES

Wednesday drawings

Michigan

Classic Lotto 47
06-15-17-27-30-42
Poker Lotto
QD-4D-7D-4S-10S
Midday Daily 3
4-0-0
Midday Daily 4
1-4-2-9
Daily 3
3-7-6
Daily 4
2-6-0-0
Fantasy 5
02-03-10-22-35
Keno
03-07-14-16-17-26-29-34-36-39-45-49-53-54-56-58-59-65-67-71-72-80
Mega Millions jackpot
$60 million
Powerball jackpot
$52 million

Tuesday drawings

Indiana

Cash 5
10-21-37-40-42
Cash4Life
02-09-34-43-52, Cash Ball: 4
Quick Draw Midday
05-08-18-19-21-23-24-27-28-29-36-40-43-44-48-57-59-64-67-75, BE: 28
Daily Three-Midday
7-4-8, SB: 6
Daily Three-Evening
8-4-2, SB: 1
Daily Four-Midday
1-3-9-3, SB: 6
Daily Four-Evening
8-6-9-4, SB: 1
Quick Draw Evening
01-05-14-16-23-26-30-31-33-34-51-53-56-57-66-68-69-72-77-79, BE: 16
Mega Millions
15-16-18-39-59, Mega Ball: 17, Megaplier: 3

Illinois

LuckyDay Lotto Midday
09-11-12-15-29
Estimated jackpot
$800,000
Pick Three-Midday
0-4-7, Fireball: 7
Pick Three-Evening
1-0-5, Fireball: 8
Pick Four-Midday
7-5-8-8, Fireball: 0
Pick Four-Evening
9-1-7-5, Fireball: 8
Lucky Day Lotto
04-11-19-33-40
Estimated jackpot
$850,000

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HEARING

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chance at parole.

On Wednesday Berrien County Prosecutor Michael Sepic asked witnesses how Paredes could be rehabilitated if he maintains his innocence.

Civil rights attorney and prisoner advocate Deborah La Belle from Ann Arbor testified via Zoom that two juvenile lifers in Michigan have been resentenced even though they say they are innocent. She said a certain percentage of prisoners are innocent and that the false conviction rate is even higher among youth. Some of them admit guilt even though they are innocent because they believe that will help their chances for parole.

La Belle said she does not know if Paredes committed the crime, but she said she has seen "amazing growth" during her years working with him on various projects, and called him a poster child for rehabilitation.

LaSata gave attorneys 30 days to write up briefs regarding whether a person can be rehabilitated if they don't admit guilt.

In 2012, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that mandatory life without parole for juveniles is unconstitutional because their brains aren't fully developed. It was ruled that each juvenile's age and unique circumstances need to be considered. A high court ruling in 2016 made that decision retroactive, paving the way for hearings such as the one for Paredes.

Paredes testifies

Paredes took the stand Wednesday and spoke of his prison record, saying his record of accomplishments shows the type of person he has become.

He said he has worked as a clerk and teacher's aide at several prisons and was certified as a literary Braille transcriber by the U.S. Library of Congress in the late 1990s. He added that his participation and leadership in several positive programs and fundraisers were done even though he had no chance at parole.

"I was sentenced to die here," he said. "I was sentenced to never have hope."

Paredes said he could have been playing basketball or lifting weights instead of helping other people.

"I chose to take the path to become a better human being," he testified.

Paredes also admitted to several infractions while in prison, including getting his wife pregnant even though conjugal visits are not allowed. He also admitted to having a cell phone.

One accusation is that he was a member of a gang, the Melanic Islamic Palace of the Rising Sun, that the prison system considered a security risk.

He said he went to as many religious services that he could to improve himself, but that as soon as the group was declared a security risk, he signed papers to renounce it in January 2000. But he said prison officials wanted to wait six months to see if he really renounced it. When six months passed, he said he signed the papers again.

More state hearings remain

Prisoner advocate Deborah La Belle said that of the 363 Michigan inmates who are entitled to hearings because of the Supreme Court ruling, 162 have yet to go through the process.

Of the 363, she said 41 of them were 15 at the time of the crime. And of those 41, she said 21 have gone through the resentencing process, with only two so far having their life without parole sentences upheld. She said that happens in cases in which there were multiple deaths and other crimes were involved, including severe beatings, kidnapping and sexual assault.

La Belle said that of the juvenile lifers who have been released from prison, none have reoffended.

"We track that very carefully," she said. "... There have not even been any parole violations."

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Disease trackers discovered that bands played at all four bars, so musicians may have spread the virus to more than 100 people all told.

Scientists studying three months of contact tracing data from Hong Kong estimated that 19 percent of people infected were responsible for 80 percent of the spread of coronavirus infections.

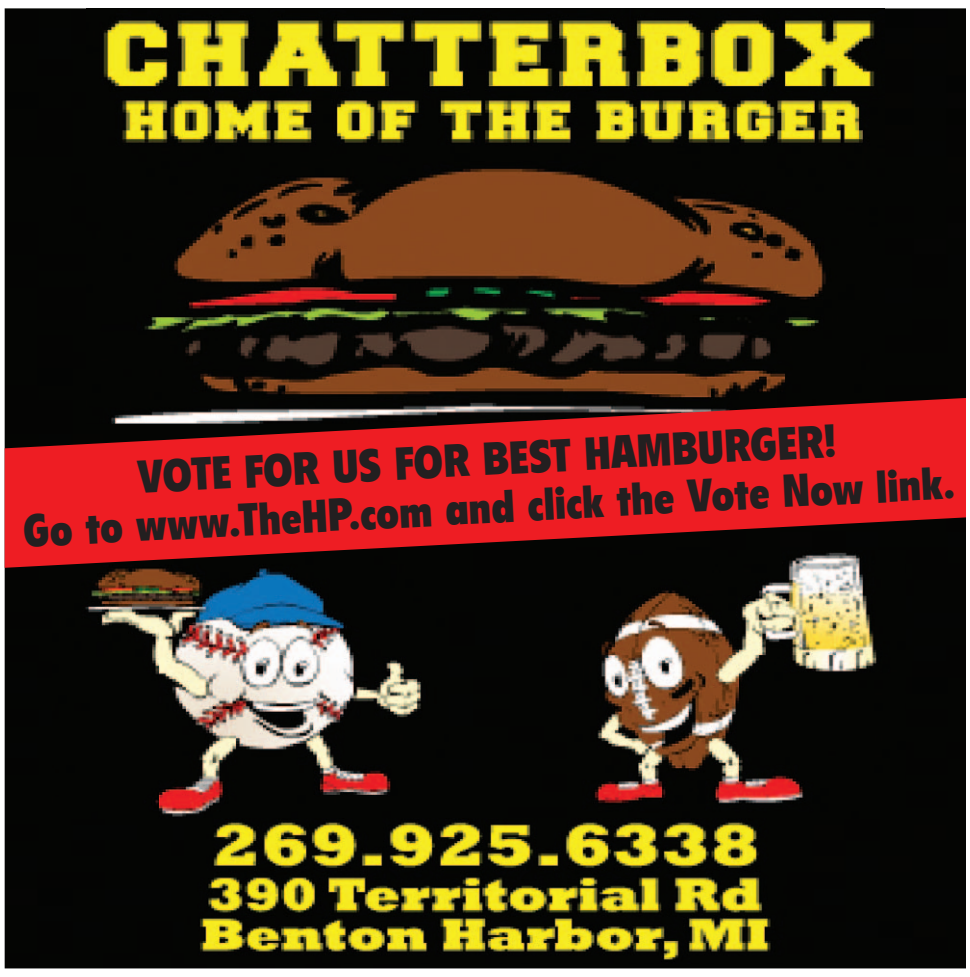
To prevent superspreader events, we need to better understand them, said Anne Rimoin, an infectious diseases expert at the University of California, Los Angeles.

She has called for detailed contact tracing of the infections around President Donald Trump, including those who attended a Sept. 26 Rose Garden ceremony and indoor White House reception for Supreme Court nominee Judge Amy Coney Barrett.

The timing of the event and the number of people infected suggests the possibility of superspreading, she said.

"Contact tracing is the way you get to the bottom of a superspreader event," Rimoin said. "That's how you break chains of transmission."

Unlike many contact tracing investigations, where it can be difficult to find everybody involved, the White House investigation would have "exquisite records and video about who was where and when," Rimoin said. "It's an opportunity to learn about superspreader events that could save thousands of lives, if not millions of lives, in the long run."



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Local wait-and-see stance on COVID orders advised

Attorney says local entities are in a 'period of uncertainty'

By ALEXANDRA NEWMAN
HP Staff Writer

BENTON HARBOR — Berrien County health officials are still in a holding pattern on issuing any local COVID-19 related orders.

Attorney John Dewane, acting as corporate counsel for Berrien County, told the county board of health Wednesday morning he thinks the best course of action is to wait and see.

"Until we have some guidance from the (state) supreme court, we're in a period of uncertainty," he said.

Nicki Britten, health officer for the Berrien County Health Department (BCHD) said the public health code that the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) used this week to issue orders can be used by local health departments to issue their own orders.

"Obviously if there is something stricter coming from the state, we can't necessarily loosen that, but we have ways to be more restrictive," she said.

Britten said health department officials are still trying to understand what they are allowed to do, and how it can be tailored to the specific needs of Berrien County residents.

"We're still trying to maximize what we can for our residents to look at health in totality and not just in COVID risk. It's broader than that. We know that COVID matters, but there's many more risk and protective factors that go into our decisions," Britten said.

County Medical Director Rick Johansen said he felt some hope last week when Gov. Gretchen Whitmer's orders were invalidated by the state supreme court.

"I had hoped that we, using local discretion and input, could do public health weighing benefits and harms here locally," he told the board.

"I also hoped we would be able to work on visitation for loved ones in long-term care facilities," he said. "Dr. (Loren) Hamel and I talked about that right after the decision. How can we make it so people can go and visit their loved ones they haven't been able to see in person or touch for more than six months?"

Johansen said he feels the new orders from the MDHHS are "locking us down to mandates that we have very little input in."

He said he worries about the types of situations this could create, like being subjected to things like closing schools if the county rises above a certain COVID-19 percent positivity rate.

Britten said the fact that many Berrien County schools have been able to offer in-person options and no large COVID-19 outbreaks have happened in the first month is a testament to how the BCHD is navigating things.

In other business Wednesday, Deputy Health Officer Courtney Davis reported to the board that the health department gave more than 120 flu vaccines on the first Flu Shot Friday of the month last week.

She said that was about three times more than the department did during its first Flu Shot Friday last year.

Officials also said they're still monitoring the county for Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE), but that no cases in humans or animals have been found here yet.

COVID-19 numbers update

Britten told the board that the recent rise in COVID-19 hospitalizations are, in-part, due to asymptomatic patients at the hospital for other reasons.

"Because everybody that comes to the hospital is tested, some of those tests are coming back positive," she said. "The numbers don't necessarily reflect that they're there for COVID reasons."

Spectrum Health Lakeland had 12 COVID-19 positive people at the hospital as of Wednesday morning. That's down from 15 on Tuesday and 14 last Wednesday.

Berrien County recorded a new COVID-19 death Wednesday, bringing the county's death toll to 75.

In addition, the county added 17 new cases and 10 recoveries.

With deaths and recoveries, the county is at about 132 active COVID-19 cases. Last Wednesday the county was at about 85.

Britten said the county's percent positivity rate remains at about 3 percent, and a steady fluctuation of numbers will continue.

"Since early August we've been at a plateau, and that's with activities going on like sports, schools and businesses reopening," she said. "We're pretty stable and this trend continues to be encouraging."

Van Buren County added two new COVID-19 cases Wednesday, while Cass County added five. Neither county recorded any new deaths.

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PIPESTONE PROJECT

Don Campbell / HP staff

Work continues Wednesday on Pipestone Street between Main and Market Streets in downtown Benton Harbor. The project is among several that will include the replacement of water, sanitary sewer and storm sewer, as well as new pavement, curbs and gutters as part of $15 million worth of improvements that are being made throughout the city.

Harbor Habitat to celebrate 25 years on Saturday

By HP STAFF

BENTON HARBOR — Harbor Habitat for Humanity is celebrating 25 years of homebuilding in the Benton Harbor area.

The organization is planning a virtual celebration on Saturday filled with a walk, awards, trivia and prizes.

"Your involvement will assist us in providing future homeowners the opportunity to take Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University, learn basic home repair techniques, and build their home and the homes of others while gaining a plethora of new skills to maintain an affordable home of their own," the organization said in a news release.

The celebration will be used to mark Harbor Habitat's 25 years of work in the community and to recognize key supporters, including Whirlpool Corp., Cook Nuclear Plant and Lowe's in Benton Township.

Harbor Habitat, the local Habitat for Humanity International affiliate, has built 116 homes in Benton Harbor and Benton Township during the last quarter century.

One of the organization's big highlights came in 2005 when former President Jimmy Carter visited Benton Harbor as part of a "blitz build."

Erin Hudson, executive director and CEO for Harbor Habitat for Humanity, said the pandemic has caused the cost of building materials to go up, prompting them to expand their service area to neighboring communities.

Habitat for Humanity began in 1976 as a grassroots effort on a community farm in southern Georgia.

The housing organization has since grown to become a leading global nonprofit working in local communities across all 50 states in the U.S. and in more than 70 countries.

Habitat homeowners help build their own homes alongside volunteers and pay an affordable mortgage.

To register for Saturday's event, donate or learn more, visit www.harborhabitat.org.

South Haven raises marina rates to offset damage from high water

By BECKY KARK
For The Herald-Palladium

SOUTH HAVEN — Record-high water levels on Lake Michigan and the Black River will mean higher rates next year for boaters renting boat slips at three of South Haven's municipal marinas.

City council members this week voted to increase the rates over a three-year period at the Northside Marina, Maritime Museum Marina and Black River Park Marina. The transient rates at the South Shore Marina are set by the state.

During the first year, seasonal rates at the Northside Marina, Maritime Museum Marina and Black River Park Marina will increase by 5 percent. Rates will continue to increase 5 percent annually at the Northside and Maritime Museum marinas for the following two years, while rates will only go up 3 percent at Black River Park in 2022 and 2023.

"We've had increased costs from high water as well as other upgrade projects that we've had to do to retain electrical services (at the marinas)," City Manager Kate Hosier said. "We have to make sure a fund balance is there."

The high-water levels forced the closure of the Northside Marina this year so the city could undertake $3 million in repairs and upgrades, which included raising the docks and improving the electric service, which was damaged by the high water levels. Although the city received $1.5 million in state grants to help pay for the project, loans will be financing the rest of it.

This year alone, the city's marina fund showed a $192,000 deficit, which dropped its unrestricted fund balance to $80,000, while Black River Park's was $23,000.

Even though rates are increasing over the next three years for seasonal slips, South Haven's fees are still lower than other municipalities, according to Department of Public Works Director Bill Hunter.

Hunter studied rates at other municipal marinas in the state, including ones in Grand Haven and St. Joseph, and concluded South Haven rates are lower than average, especially for small boats.

The survey showed that this past summer South Haven charged a seasonal rate of $2,000 for a 20-foot slip, whereas the average rate at the other marinas was $3,440.

"South Haven's rates are well below the average of the other marinas we received information on through our survey," Hunter said in a memo to city council. "Also, we have made several improvements to all the marinas. Increasing the marina rates starting now will put the funds in a much better financial position for future improvements."

Hosier, who has served as the city's harbor master, agreed. "We try to retain competitive yet attractive facilities," she said.

Lt. Gov. Garlin Gilchrist asks GOP leaders for mask mandate in Legislature

By DAVID EGGERT
Associated Press

LANSING — Lt. Gov. Garlin Gilchrist II called Wednesday for Republican legislative leaders to enact and enforce a mask requirement inside the House and Senate chambers at all times, saying he fears for the safety of his family and others when lawmakers do not wear a face covering.

The Democrat presides over session in the Senate, which will return Thursday to start passing bills following a Michigan Supreme Court ruling that invalidated Democratic Gov. Gretchen Whitmer's coronavirus orders. The state health department requires masks at indoor non-residential gatherings, but the Legislature is seen as exempt from that order and the governor's prior face covering order – first issued in April – because it is a separate branch of government.

Though legislators have been encouraged to wear masks, many Republicans either do not or they remove them to speak or while seated alone at their desk. Democrats are more vigilant about using masks, though some remove them to give formal remarks during session.

In an "open letter," Gilchrist urged Senate Majority Leader Mike Shirkey of Clarklake and House Speaker Lee Chatfield of Levering to require face coverings. He said he is the father of young children and has lost 23 people to COVID-19.

Masks, he wrote, are a "matter of science" and are proven to be an effective, simple way to slow the spread of the virus.

Shirkey spokeswoman Amber McCann said he has reiterated to his caucus members that they should wear a mask on the floor, in committee hearings and in their offices. He believes senators do try to wear a mask in the chamber and does not feel a mandate, rule or regulation is needed, she said.

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Michigan Lt. Gov. Garlin Gilchrist II, accompanied by Gov. Gretchen Whitmer, right, speaks during an address to the state in Lansing, on Sept. 10. Lt. Gov. Gilchrist is calling for Republican legislative leaders to enact and enforce a mask requirement inside the House and Senate chambers. He said Wednesday, he fears for the safety of his family and others when lawmakers do not wear a face covering.

Chatfield's spokesman has previously cited constitutional issues compelling elected lawmakers to wear face coverings, though Democrats have noted legislators must adhere to various rules in the chambers. President Donald Trump, who is recovering from the virus, has cast doubt on the widely accepted scientific conclusions of his own administration strongly urging the use of face coverings.

"The decision to wear a mask demonstrates that you respect the safety of everyone around you and everyone that they care about," Gilchrist said. "So let us model the safest behavior with the hopes that others would do the same."

Whitmer has called Shirkey an "anti-masker" because he came out against codifying a mask requirement into law after the high court's decision and instead encouraged people to follow whatever policies are set by businesses, organizations and schools.

"The majority leader would say because he doesn't support a statewide mandate does not mean he is anti-mask," McCann said.

At least four members of the 148-seat Legislature have had a confirmed case of COVID-19. A fifth likely died of the virus in March, though he was not tested for it, his mother has said.

House Minority Leader Christine Greig of Farmington Hills recently said requiring members to wear face coverings is a "no-brainer" given a House rule requiring men to have neckties. "As elected leaders, it is critically important that we lead by example and stop the politicization of this life-saving guidance," she said.

Market mushrooms make meaty dishes

Fall is always bittersweet, a beautiful time of the year but with harbingers of what's ahead – a long cold winter. Because I'm out of town next weekend, it was also somewhat sad to say goodbye to the St. Joseph Farmers Market, where I spend my Saturday mornings.

There are always new discoveries as the seasons change, but this last Saturday it had nothing to do with farm produce and instead there's a new vendor, Mycophile's Garden, a company based in Grand Rapids that specializes in wild and cultivated mushrooms.

Jane Ammeson

Their table was loaded with a variety of fungi ranging from those I recognized like shiitake to others with names, shapes, and colors totally new to me, like shrimp of the woods and bear tooth claw. Even ones I was familiar with such as oyster mushrooms came in such variations and colors like blue, King and apple.

"Most common American names of mushrooms refer to what they look or taste like," Jareth Zelmer, who was overseeing sales, told me when I asked about shrimp of the woods.

Since they don't look like pink shrimp, I assume they taste like shrimp and Zelmer, whose family owns the century-plus Zelmer Farm in Buchanan, nodded yes.

"You cook them like you would shrimp," he said and then started naming such dishes as shrimp scampi, fried in a tempura batter, put into a baguette and topped with a spicy Creole/Cajun dressing for a poor boy sandwich and blackened shrimp.

Zelmer, who has a culinary background, is now helping out his friend Chris Swinson, one of the owners of Mycophile's Garden. Business is brisk in the fungi biz, and Zelmer said that one of their current best sellers is lion's mane, a white shaggy mushroom that looks like, you guessed it, the mane of a lion. Cindy Grewett of Kitty Hill Organics has a large tent next to where Mycophile's Garden and she came over to tell me how great their mushrooms are.

"If we don't have what people want, we send them over to Cindy," Zelmer told me.

Previously I had purchased the orange-colored mushrooms called chicken of the woods (not to be confused with hen of the woods – that's a totally different mushroom) from Grewett. They look like an orange shelf and are huge and meaty. I sautéed them in butter (lots of butter it turned out because they soak it up like crazy) until they were tender and highly caloric from all that butter.

I thought they'd be good as a pasta sauce and so I also added sautéed broccoli, minced garlic and seasonings and ladled it atop one of Ancient Harvest's plant-based protein pastas, which come in different shapes and sizes including elbow, penne and rotini. They're made from such grains as chickpeas, green or red lentils as well as a combination of corn, brown rice and quinoa and are packed with protein so they make a great meatless addition to those wanting to get away from meat-centric meals.

When Grewett makes chicken of the woods, she starts by shredding them into pieces and cooking them in olive oil and butter until they're tender.

"I use them like chicken on pasta," she said.

There are over 50,000 species of mushrooms, a number that includes molds and yeasts. Many of the edible ones have medicinal benefits, a few are hallucinatory, hence the nickname magic mushrooms, and about 1-2 percent are lethal.

I took home a bag of shrimp of the woods, cleaned them (they're rather convoluted in shape so I used a brand-new toothbrush to get into the crevices) and then cut the larger ones into pieces. I wanted to try the blackened mushrooms but didn't have any cream, so I settled for a sauté with minced garlic and butter, cooking until they were tender which was a lot faster than the chicken of the woods.

Shrimp of the woods mushrooms for sale at the St. Joseph Farmers Market.

I'm not sure shrimp of the woods could be substituted in a recipe calling for shrimp cocktail, but they do have a seafood-like taste. But even if they didn't, the dish turned out to be tasty.

Mycophile's Garden grows and forages mushrooms, and also sources them from Mycopia, an organic mushroom grower in California. They have a warehouse near the Fulton Market where the mushroom bags are colonized and then shipped to the sub-terrain greenhouse. Once they're matured, they return to the warehouse for storage and shipping.

This Saturday will be their last at the St. Joe market, but they can also be found at year-round markets, like the ones in Kalamazoo and Muskegon, as well as the indoor Fulton Market in Grand Rapids.

For more information, visit https://mycophile.org, or contact info@mycophile.org or 616-309-7304.

The Organic Gypsy Food Truck will be back at The Collective, 401 Klock Road, Benton Harbor, from 11 a.m. to noon Friday, Oct. 16.

It will have a selection of fall foods available, including owner Bridgett Blough's award winning Organic Green Tahini Potato Soup which took first place (and a $5,000 check) at the National Potato Expo's first Spud Nation Throwdown in 2016. The contest, created to honor the food truck that has the best potato dish in the nation, brings the three finalists to Las Vegas each year to make their dish on stage. I ran the recipe back then but thought with the weather growing cooler, it was appropriate to give readers the chance to either make their own or order some to go.

Food must be ordered in advance online by Monday, Oct. 12, at theorganicgypsy.com.

Organic Green Tahini Potato Soup

2 onions, chopped, approximately 16 ounces
2 leeks, white and light green parts, approximately 10 ounces
8 cups of thinly shredded cabbage, approximately 25 ounces
4 carrots, chopped, approximately 10 ounces
3 stalks of celery, chopped, approximately 5 ounces
5 pounds Yukon gold potatoes, scrubbed and cubed into 1" pieces
3 tablespoons Grade B maple syrup
16-20 cups of vegetable stock
1 tablespoon salt
3 tablespoons ghee
3 cups green tahini (see recipe below)
4 teaspoons dried oregano
4 teaspoons cumin powder
2 teaspoons marjoram
2 teaspoons garlic powder,
2 teaspoons onion powder
2 teaspoons dried parsley
2 teaspoons smoked paprika
2 teaspoons freshly ground black pepper
2 heads of garlic
1 teaspoon sesame seeds
1 bunch of chives, chopped

Drizzle olive oil over the two heads of garlic, do not peel. Tightly pack the ingredients in foil and place in an oven and roast until soft, about 45 minutes. Once soft, squeeze heads out of garlic out of their skin and set aside.

Chop potatoes and place in cold water in a large pot. Put lid on and heat until potatoes are tender when tested with a fork. Drain, and set aside.

While the potatoes are cooking, sauté the onions until caramelized, up to 15 minutes. Add celery and cook until celery is soft. Set aside.

Roast the leeks and cabbage in the oven with a touch of oil (canola, ghee, or extra virgin olive oil) and salt and pepper. Roast until lightly golden brown, about 10 minutes at 350.

Place carrots in the maple syrup and add enough oil to coat. Season with salt and pepper and roast until tender with a fork, about 25 minutes at 350.

Toast sesame seeds in a pan over the stove, stir until most have turned brown and remove immediately. Set aside in a bowl.

Crank up the oven to 400. Once potatoes the potatoes are tender, drain. Place one-third of the potatoes on a large baking sheet. Toss with oil and salt and pepper and roast in oven until golden brown, about 20 minutes or less.

Place the remaining potatoes in a stock pot, add vegetable stock and blend with an immersion blender until smooth and creamy. Add green tahini, ghee, salt, and the spices and blend again. Soup should be thick not mashed potato thick. Add a little more stock if it's too thick. Set aside.

When the leeks, cabbage, potatoes, and carrots have finished cooking, add to the stoup. Add onions and celery and mix to combine. Add more seasoning if desired.

Garnish with plain yogurt, chimichurri sauce, chives, and/or toasted sesame seeds.

Green Tahini

Makes 3 cups
2 cups sesame seeds, ground to a powder in a seed grinder
1 head of raw garlic, peeled
1 tsp salt
3/4 cup extra virgin olive oil
1/4 cup water
1/2 cup lemon juice
1 bunch of Italian flat leaf parsley
1 bunch of cilantro

Blend all ingredients in a food processor until smooth, adding water to thin it out until it's a spreadable consistency, thinner than peanut butter.

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MEDICAL PEOPLE

Rheumatology services expand at Lakeland

ST. JOSEPH — Spectrum Health Lakeland has added rheumatologist Harman Fervaha, MD, to its medical staff.

Fervaha joins Dr. Rafid Asfar at Lakeland Rheumatology, 3950 Hollywood Road, Suite 288.

FERVAHA

Fervaha earned a Doctor of Medicine degree at the Medical University of the Americas, Nevis, West Indies. He completed an internal medicine residency at Leonard J. Chabert Medical Center in Houma, La., and a rheumatology fellowship at Ochsner Louisiana State University Health Shreveport.

Fervaha is board-certified in internal medicine, and is a member of the American College of Rheumatology and the American College of Physicians.

For more information, or to schedule an appointment, call 408-0990 or visit lakelandrheumatology.com.

Spectrum Health Lakeland adds ENT specialist

Spectrum Health Lakeland has added ear, nose and throat specialist Benjamin Erhardt, MD, to its medical staff.

Erhardt is seeing patients alongside three physicians and five advance practitioners at Lakeland Ear, Nose and Throat, which has offices in Niles and St. Joseph.

Erhardt completed his medical degree at Creighton University in Omaha, Neb., and his residency at the University of Missouri – Columbia.

Before relocating to Southwest Michigan, he worked as an otolaryngologist on the medical staff at MercyOne Cedar Falls Medical Center in Iowa.

ERHARDT

He is a member of the American Board of Otolaryngology.

For more information, or to schedule an appointment, call 982-3368 (St. Joseph) or 687-2910 (Niles) or visit lakelandent.com.

Cardiologist joins Lakeland Heart and Vascular

Spectrum Health Lakeland has added cardiologist Dale Leffler, DO, to its medical staff.

LEFFLER

Leffler is seeing patients alongside a team of eight physicians and six advanced practitioners at Lakeland Heart and Vascular, which has offices in Niles and St. Joseph.

Leffler earned his medical degree from Michigan State University and completed an internal medicine residency at Ingham Regional Medical Center in Lansing. He is fellowship trained in interventional cardiology and has more than 19 years of experience in the medical field.

Prior to joining Lakeland, he cared for cardiovascular patients at Spectrum Health Medical Group in Holland. He also has served as a clinical instructor at MSU for the past 11 years.

Leffler is a member of the American Osteopathic Association and the American College of Cardiology. He has performed several research studies with a focus on carotid stenting and atrial fibrillation.

For more information, or to find a physician, visit lakelandheart.com.

Items for Medical People should be sent to The Herald-Palladium, P.O. Box 128, St. Joseph, MI 49085, or emailed to focus@TheHP.com.

BLOOD DRIVES

American Red Cross

Noon-5:45 p.m. Friday, Holy Family Catholic Church, 500 W. St. Mary's St., Decatur.

1-6:45 p.m. Monday, Paw Paw Seventh-day Adventist Church, 60409 M-40, Paw Paw.

11 a.m.-4:45 p.m. Oct. 14, Chapel Hill United Methodist Church, 4071 Naomi Road, Sodus.

Noon-5:45 p.m. Oct. 14, Lions Club, 227 CR 665, Paw Paw.

Versiti Blood Center of Michigan

Noon-7 p.m. today, Versiti Blood Center of Michigan, 2710 Cleveland Ave., St. Joseph.

Noon-6 p.m. Friday, Buchanan Fire Department, meeting room, 105 W. Front St., Buchanan.

1-7 p.m. Friday, First Pentecostal Church, Heritage Hall, 27341 W. U.S. 12, Edwardsburg.

7 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday, Versiti Blood Center of Michigan, 2710 Cleveland Ave., St. Joseph.

7 a.m.-1 p.m. Sunday, Versiti Blood Center of Michigan, 2710 Cleveland Ave., St. Joseph.

Noon-7 p.m. Oct. 14, Versiti Blood Center of Michigan, 2710 Cleveland Ave., St. Joseph.

Donors must be at least 17 years old and weigh at least 110 pounds. To find more drives, visit www.redcrossblood.org or donate.michigan.versiti.org/donor/schedules/zip.

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OBITUARIES

Nick State

July 26, 1936 – Oct. 2, 2020

Nick State, 84, of Stevensville went to be with his beloved Lord and Savior on Oct. 2, 2020, at West Woods of Bridgman. While Nick had been struggling with dementia for years, his sweet and loving personality was still able to shine through it all to the end.

Nick was born July 26, 1936, to John and Georgia (Angelopolus) Stathopoulos in St. Joseph, where he lived his entire life.

In 1946, his family wanted to "Americanize" their last name, and legally changed it to State. He graduated from St. Joseph High School in 1955.

In 1984, he married the love of his life, Darlene Schoff, in St. Joseph.

In the 1960s, Nick was the owner of Nick's Red Garter. After the city bought the building for Urban Renewal, Nick worked in several retail stores selling fine men's wear. He was later employed by D&W Foods for 15 years and then Martin's Super Markets for 10 years. Nick was very much a people person, while working at the grocery stores, people would wait in line to have Nick bag their groceries. They were always encouraged by his kindness, sweet spirit and genuine smile.

Nick loved the Lord, the Bible and serving as an usher at church. He enjoyed going to Bible Study Fellowship (BSF) for many years. Nick looked forward to going to church to worship and sing. Many knew him as the friendliest man around.

Nick is survived by his loving wife of 36 years, Darlene (Schoff) State; children: Kelly (Mark) Neubauer, Mark State, Lisa (Edward) Heyn and John (Kimberly) State; mother of his children, Rinthy Cluff; one granddaughter; eight grandsons; and one great-granddaughter.

Nick's family would especially like to thank Monica Henderscott, Dr. Troy Thompson, the staff at Harbor House Adult Day Care and West Woods of Bridgman. They all helped to make Nick's last year's memorable and fun.

A celebration of life service will be at 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 10, at The Chapel, 4250 Washington Ave., St. Joseph, with Pastor Phil Bubar officiating. Friends may visit with the family from 1 p.m. until the time of service at the church.

Memorials may be made to The Avenue Family Network–Harbor House, or The Chapel Mission Fund. Those wishing to share a memory of Nick online are encouraged to do so at www.starks-menchinger.com.

Vincent DiMaggio

April 27, 1944 – Oct. 5, 2020

Vincent A. "Vince" DiMaggio, 76, of Watervliet passed away Monday, Oct. 5, 2020, at Lakeland Hospital, Watervliet.

A prayer service will be at 3 p.m. Monday, Oct. 12, at Starks & Menchinger Chapel and Cremation Services, 2650 Niles Road, St. Joseph. Friends may visit with the family from 1 p.m. Monday, until time of service at the funeral home. Burial will take place at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery in Watervliet.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude's Children Research Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105. Those wishing to leave an online condolence may do so at www.starks-menchinger.com.

Vince was born April 27, 1944, to Anthony and Madeline (Sorce) DiMaggio in Chicago.

He graduated from St. John's Catholic High School in Benton Harbor. He owned and operated DiMaggio Pizza & Burgers for over 40 years.

On Oct. 5, 1987, Vince married the love of his life, Arlene Kandas, in Las Vegas.

Vince enjoyed fishing and hunting. He was a member of the St. Joseph/Benton Harbor Elks Club, NRA and Sons of Italy. In his early years he was the well-known lead singer of the Princeton Five. But his favorite title was being a "Dad" and "Papa" to his loving children and grandchildren.

Vince is survived by his wife of 33 years, Arlene DiMaggio, of Watervliet; daughters: Madeline (Timothy) Flagel of Watervliet, Danyl (Ed) Broderick of Riverside and Lisa (Brian) Wood of Grand Rapids; grandchildren: Payton, Vinny, T.J., Lily, Jordan (Kara) and Taylor; two great-grandchildren; siblings: Isadore "Izzy" DiMaggio of Coloma, Margaret "Marge" DiMaggio of California and Josephine "Josie" Little of California, and all of his wonderful nieces, nephews and extended family that he cared for deeply.

Vince was preceded in death by his parents.

Vince's family would like to thank the EMTs and police officers for their efforts in helping him.

Death notices

Ricky Darryl Barnes, 59, of Benton Harbor died Oct. 4, 2020. Brothers Funeral Home, Benton Harbor, 927-3181.

Marilyn L. Geier, 72, of South Haven died Oct. 3, 2020. Filbrandt Family Funeral Home, South Haven, 637-0333.

N L Hines Sr., 71, of Dayton, Texas, formerly of Benton Harbor died Aug. 19, 2020. Robbins Brothers Funeral Home, Benton Harbor, 927-3181.

Tina Elaine (Harner) Jaggers, 55, of Sodus died Oct. 6, 2020, at her residence. Purely Cremations – Starks Family Funeral Homes and Cremation Services, Benton Harbor, 926-9440.

Nick State, 84, of Stevensville died Oct. 2, 2020.Starks & Menchinger Chapel and Cremation Services, St. Joseph, 556-9450.

Lorraine E. Weiss, 74, Niles died Oct. 4, 2020, at Memorial Hospital in South Bend. Brown Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Niles, 683-1155.

Michele Lyn Wendzel Payne, 51, of Sawyer died Oct. 6, 2020. Pike Funeral Home, Boyd Chapel, Bridgman, 465-3239.

Mary Goff

Aug. 1, 1927 – Oct. 5, 2020

Mary Ailene Goff was called to our Lord on Monday, Oct. 5, 2020.

And thus spoke Michael and Gabriel to the Heavenly Hosts and All True Believers in Heaven, "Hearken, all ye Brothers and Sisters, for today Mary Ailene joins us." And as they looked on, Our Savior Jesus Christ Our Lord embraced Mary and whispered, "Cast aside your pain, your suffering, your doubts. You are home with me at last."

A celebration of life service will be at 11 a.m. Friday, Oct. 9, at Starks & Menchinger Chapel, 2650 Niles Road, St. Joseph, with the Rev. James Whitman officiating. Burial will follow at North Shore Memory Gardens in Coloma. Friends may visit with the family from 10-11 a.m. Friday at the funeral home.

Memorial donations in Mary's name may be made to Caring Circle Hospice. Those wishing to sign Mary's memory book online may do so at www.starks-menchinger.com.

Mary Ailene Goff was born Mary Ailene-Anderson on Aug. 1, 1927, in Senath, Mo.

Born and raised out on the farms, she grew up knowing the difference between corn and wheat, cotton and soy beans, hay and alfalfa. Her most important discovery was that Jesus Christ died for our sins on the cross. She embraced her faith at an early age, and she lived her entire life as a devout Christian with an unshakable faith that provided her a bedrock foundation to sustain her through her challenges.

She married Bond C. Goff, on June 16, 1946 and had three children: Gary B. Goff, Sandra E. Goff (Cornell), and Cynthia L. Goff (Massey).

The family moved from Missouri to Michigan in 1960. In 1963 her husband was killed in an industrial accident.

She was her family's Steel Magnolia. With quiet dignity and a strength not often seen today she persevered, raising her family alone by working in a dry-cleaners and later as a hair dresser. She didn't take a handout, and she didn't make excuses.

She was a hybrid, born at the end of the Greatest Generation, and raised in the Silent Generation. She didn't make any noise, and she didn't complain. She pulled herself up by her own bootstraps. She didn't have much money, but her faith sustained her and her family. They shared the same house for over 50 years, and it became a focal point, a place to return to, the place called home.

Mary enjoyed her gardens, served what she planted to her family, and cooked with southern flair: fried green tomatoes, potato salad, fried chicken, cole slaw, biscuits, and her specialty, corn bread stuffing. She also enjoyed sewing and making her own clothes, and passed that passion on to her youngest daughter, Cynthia, who still draws on the skills her mother taught her in the sewing room. Mary liked watching Lawrence Welk, listening to Elvis Presley, and baking. She loved reading her Bible, and sharing her discoveries with her family.

Mary has been suffering with Alzheimer's disease and has lived at the Willows for the last four years, where she received outstanding care, with many blessings to the staff who made her life more enjoyable, and our visits fun!

Mary is survived by her daughter, Cindy Massey, and son-in-law, Greg Massey; granddaughters: Desiree Goff, and husband, Jeff Weller; Ashley Sousa; and Paige Massey-Orlando; great-grand-children: Kovy Weller, Shelby Weller, Ashton Sousa, and Jocelyn Sousa, and many loving relatives down South.

Preceding her on her journey to forever were her older brothers: Cloyd Anderson, Coy Anderson, Onie Anderson; her younger sister, Modest Anderson; younger brother, Bill Anderson; husband, Bond C. Goff; son, Gary B. Goff, and daughter, Sandra E. (Goff) Cornell.

N L Hines Sr.

Aug. 20, 1948 – Aug. 19, 2020

N L Hines Sr., 71, of Dayton, Texas, formerly of Benton Harbor departed this life Aug. 19, 2020, at home.

A committal service will be at 1:30 p.m. Oct. 8, at Ft. Custer National Cemetery, Augusta. Those wishing to sign the guest book online may do so at www.robbinsbrothersfh.com.

N L, son of Pastor Joseph Nathan Lee Hines and Flora Mae Lloyd Hines, was born Aug. 20, 1948, in Clarksdale, Miss.

He graduated from BHHS in 1967, and in 1968, N L was drafted into the U.S. Army and served during the Vietnam War.

N L accepted Christ as his Savior at a young age and on Aug. 23, 2003, N L married Tanga Sallie.

N L leaves to cherish his memory, his wife, Tanga Hines; mother, Flora Mae Hines; children: Nicole Farmer, Sherronda Sallie, Sherold Sallie and N L Hines II; grandsons: Duke Mondy, Marques Mondy, DeMarcus Mondy and Kaysen Cron; siblings: Staten Hines, Rosie Hines, Daisy Hines, Eugene (Joyce) Hines, Pastor James (Leontyne) Hines and Steve Hines; aunts: Ocsie Parker, Doris Applewhite and Mary Lloyd; friends: the Rev. Rodney Gulley, William Archibald, Milton Smith and Charles Bunting Jr.; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, family and friends.

N L was preceded in death by his father; paternal grandparents: Staten and Truelove Hines; maternal grandparents: Dan and O.C. Lloyd; siblings: Shirley Hines and Lee Nathan Hines; uncles: Lee Dale Lloyd and Adell Lloyd, Doug Hines, Sam London and Epson Johnson Sr.; aunts: Rosie Glasper, Martha Brady, Alberta Buels, Truelove London, and Irene Johnson; and longtime friend, Larry Stansberry.

Ricky Barnes

Feb. 24, 1961 – Oct. 4, 2020

Ricky Darryl Barnes, 59, of Benton Harbor departed this life Oct. 4, 2020.

A service celebrating his life will be Oct. 10, at the Second Baptist Church, Benton Harbor. The visitation begins at 9:30 a.m. followed by the service at 10:30 a.m. Those wishing to sign the guest book online may do so at www.robbinsbrothersfh.com.

Ricky was born Feb. 24, 1961, in Benton Harbor to Wallace and Ruthie Fryer Barnes.

He accepted Christ and loved playing baseball. He became a great left-handed pitcher for the Benton Harbor Tigers.

Ricky graduated from BHHS in 1979, and attended Mississippi Valley State on a full baseball scholarship, where he received his bachelor of science in industrial technology. He was a proud member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Inc. and Beta Theta Chapter (The Notorious Nine).

Ricky became a licensed contractor and founded R. Barnes Construction that built and renovated homes and businesses locally and throughout the state. He also worked for the Road Construction Department in Fulton County, Georgia. Ricky was always there to brighten the lives of others with a smile and a joke

Ricky's legacy will be carried on by his daughters: Starickea Robinson and Starlea Robinson; loving friend, Starla Robinson; sisters: Debra (McKinley) Rogers, Wanda Brown, Felicia (John) Burke and Larina Barnes; brothers: Wallace Barnes (Patti) and Julius Barnes; brother-in-law, Kerry V. Lee Sr.; godmother, Mary N. Hampton; and a host of uncles, aunts, nephews, nieces and cousins.

Ricky is preceded in death by his parents: Wallace and Ruthie Barnes, and sister, Brenda Lee.

Marilyn L. Geier

March 24, 1948 – Oct. 3, 2020

Marilyn L. Geier, 72, of South Haven died Saturday, Oct. 3, 2020, at Graceway Countryside Nursing Community in South Haven.

Marilyn was born March 24, 1948, in South Haven to Donna (Wilkinson) and Lewis Butler.

She graduated from Bangor High School in 1966.

She went on to work for the U.S. Postal Service for 30 years retiring in 2010.

Marilyn was an active member of the American Legion and VFW Auxiliaries. Years ago, Marilyn was an avid bowler and enjoyed doing puzzles, crafts, sewing and cross stitching.

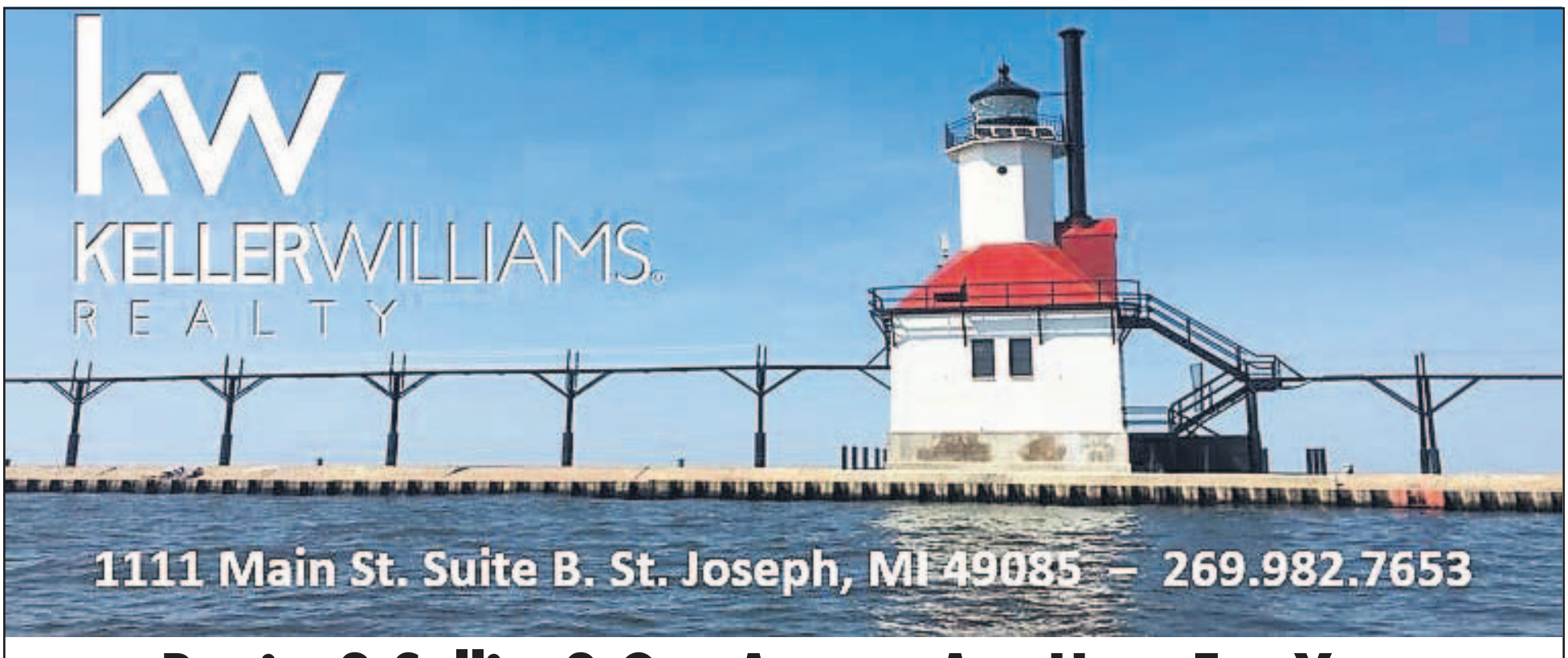
Surviving is her daughter, Jennifer (Tim Shaw) Geier of Kalamazoo; brother, David (Rita) Butler of South Haven; sister, Ellen Heinichen of South Haven; nieces: Lori (Jason) Miller, Tali (Dennis) Sorenson, Holly (Todd) Meilke and Renee (Andrew) Gossman; two great-nieces and two great-nephews also survive.

Public graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 24, at Monks Cemetery with Chaplain Larry Girrard officiating. A luncheon will follow graveside services at noon at the VFW in South Haven, 1070 S. Bailey Ave., South Haven.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date. Kindly share your thoughts and memories on the family's online guest book at www.FilbrandtFFH.com.

The family is being helped by the Filbrandt Family Funeral Home in South Haven.

See more obituaries on Page A6



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DO YOU REMEMBER?

1995 – 25 years ago

Chicago may have Monet, but Southwest Michigan will have a Rembrandt. An original painting by the master Rembrandt van Rijn titled "The Visitation" will be on display Oct. 28 through Nov. 5 at the Krasl Art Center, according to Executive Director Dar Davis. Rembrandt's oil-on-wood painting is being made available for showing at the Krasl by the Detroit Institute of Arts, which owns the painting. The DIA sends one of its masterworks to three Michigan museums each year.

1985 – 35 years ago

Second graders at Red Arrow Elementary School have raised $164 in a "read-a-thon" to help victims of two recent earthquakes in Mexico, according to Mary Hess-Quinones. The students collected 1-cent pledges for every minute they read between Sept. 26 and Oct. 3. The collected funds will be forwarded to the American Red Cross.

1970 – 50 years ago

Harold Mead has been so busy lately the 25th anniversary of his entry in the chicken-serving business slipped by unnoticed. It was on Sept. 29, 1945, just after World War II had ended, that Mead and his wife, Pearl, opened the first Chicken Nook in Benton Harbor. There were seats for 30 people, but one of the big features of the operation was the take-out service. After 11 years in Benton Harbor, Mead moved into the present Chicken Nook in St. Joseph.

TODAY IN HISTORY

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, Oct. 8, the 282nd day of 2020. There are 84 days left in the year.

Highlight in history:

On Oct. 8, 1871, the Great Chicago Fire erupted; fires also broke out in Peshtigo, Wisconsin, and in several communities in Michigan.

On this date:

In 1890, American aviation hero Eddie Rickenbacker was born in Columbus, Ohio.

In 1934, Bruno Hauptmann was indicted by a grand jury in New Jersey for murder in the death of the kidnapped son of Charles and Anne Morrow Lindbergh.

In 1945, President Harry S. Truman told a press conference in Tiptonville, Tennessee, that the secret scientific knowledge behind the atomic bomb would be shared only with Britain and Canada.

In 1981, at the White House, President Ronald Reagan greeted former Presidents Jimmy Carter, Gerald Ford and Richard Nixon, who were preparing to travel to Egypt for the funeral of Anwar Sadat.

In 1985, the hijackers of the Italian cruise ship Achille Lauro killed American passenger Leon Klinghoffer, who was in a wheelchair, and threw his body overboard.

In 1997, Scientists reported the Mars Pathfinder had yielded what could be the strongest evidence yet that Mars might once have been hospitable to life.

In 1998, the House triggered an open-ended impeachment inquiry against President Bill Clinton in a momentous 258-176 vote; 31 Democrats joined majority Republicans in opening the way for nationally televised impeachment hearings.

5-Day Forecast for St. Joseph

Today	Tonight	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
Sunny	Clear	Sunny	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Chance Rain
66°	49°	75° / 58°	70° / 51°	66° / 52°	68° / 54°

Local Outlook

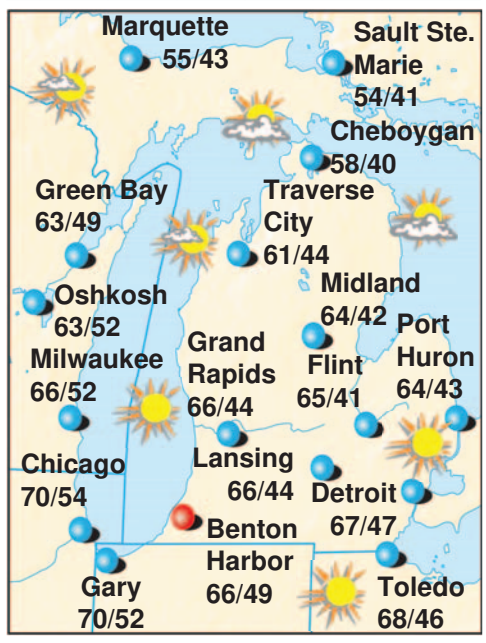
Today we will see sunny skies, high of 66°, humidity of 54%. West wind 3 to 9 mph. Expect clear skies tonight, overnight low of 49°. Southeast wind 1 to 7 mph. Friday, skies will be sunny, high of 75°, humidity of 48%. South southeast wind 6 to 16 mph.

Sun and Moon

Sunrise ..... 7:50 a.m.
Sunset ..... 7:14 p.m.
Moonrise ..... 11:22 p.m.
Moonset ..... 2:15 p.m.

Last	New	First	Full
10/9	10/16	10/23	10/31

Regional Map



Local Almanac

Benton Harbor Yesterday

Temperature

High ..... 73°
Low ..... 53°
Normal High ..... 66°
Normal Low ..... 44°
Record High ..... 88° in 2007
Record Low ..... 30° in 2001

Precipitation

Yesterday ..... 0.00"
Month to date ..... 0.71"
Normal for month ..... 0.68"
Year to date ..... 28.90"
Normal Year to date .... 29.43"

Air Quality

Yesterday 43
Main Offender ..... Particles

The higher the number, the greater the need for people with respiratory problems to reduce outside activity.

0-50 ..... Good
51-100 ..... Moderate
101-150 .... Sensitive
151-200 .. Unhealthy

Weather Trivia

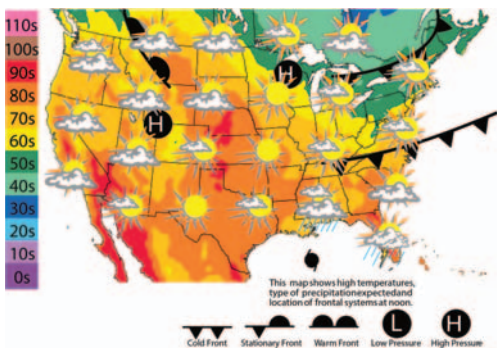
What causes wind shear?

?

Answer: A sudden change in wind speed or direction.

National Weather Map

Forecast map for Oct. 8, 2020



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Lake Michigan

Today, WSW wind 6 to 8 kt. Sunny. Waves around 1 ft. Water temperature 65 degrees. Tonight, Variable winds less than 5 kt. Mostly clear. Waves 1 ft or less.

Michigan Forecast

Upper Peninsula

Today, skies will be mostly sunny to partly cloudy with highs in the 50s and 60s. West wind 5 to 14 mph. Expect partly cloudy to mostly cloudy skies Friday with scattered showers, highs in the 60s and 70s. South wind 5 to 15 mph.

Lower Peninsula

Today, skies will be sunny with highs in the 60s. West wind 3 to 9 mph. Expect sunny skies Friday with highs in the 70s. South southeast wind 6 to 16 mph.

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Michele Payne

Jan. 1, 1969 – Oct. 6, 2020

Michele Lyn Wendzel Payne, 51, of Sawyer passed away Tuesday, Oct. 6, 2020, at Lakeland Medical Center, Niles.

A gathering of family and friends will be held from 3-5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 10, at the Boyd Chapel of Pike Funeral and Cremation Services, 9191 Red Arrow Highway, Bridgman. Online condolences accepted at www.PikeFH.com.

Michele was born Jan. 1, 1969, in St. Joseph, the daughter of Richard Wendzel and Alice Zachary.

Michele enjoyed spending time with family and friends and loved coloring, cooking, baking and watching movies.

In 2018 she married Mark Payne, and he survives along with two daughters: Kurbi (Kyle) Sharp and Samantha (Divyang) Patel; a son: Mark Payne II; grandson, Avi Patel; her parents: Richard (Nanci) Wendzel and Alice (Don) Zachary; siblings: Alan Zachary, Andrew (Linny) Zachary, Ammy Wendzel, Brian Jannert, Robert (Jessica) Emard, Jason (Fonda) Emard, Douglas (Heather) Wendzel, Megan Wendzel, David (Amanda) Wendzel and Katrina (Luis) Wendzel-Cortez.

Michele was preceded in death by her daughter, Nichole Crider, in 2011.

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hp SPORTS

Eight-team playoff could clear up this year's mess

Al Arend
Big Al's Picks

Since the inception of the College Football Playoff six years ago, no two-loss team has ever made it into gridiron's version of the Final Four.

In fact, of the 24 teams that have made it, Alabama, Clemson and Ohio State have combined for 17 appearances. Michigan State and Notre Dame have each made it once. "Mighty" Michigan has not.

It's high-time the NCAA powers that be rewrite the television contract that's in place through 2026 to include an eight-team playoff. However, this season may not be the right time with the virus and all.

Or perhaps it is, with all the power five conferences not playing the same number of games. The Big Ten and Pac-12 are still three and four weeks away, respectively, from starting.

Most pundits agree that Alabama, Clemson and Ohio State are shoo-ins again, but who will the fourth team be? The SEC runner-up (Georgia or Florida), the ACC runner-up (Notre Dame), the Big Ten runner-up (Wisconsin) or the PAC-12 champion (USC or Oregon). Both the Big Ten and Pac-12 would be at a disadvantage for getting two teams in, due to the fewer number of games they're playing.

Only time will tell!

Top college game

Clemson 38, Miami 20

Top-rated Clemson is a 14-point favorite over No. 7 Miami. Are the Hurricanes back in the limelight? They won't be after this one.

Top high school game

St. Joseph 17, Lakeshore 14

I've seen both teams play and I expect a close one. I give the Bears a slight edge as they have Troy Pratley and Griffin Shinrock. The Lancers are still waiting for an offensive threat to emerge. Lakeshore holds a 33-30 edge in the all-time series. Missing will be the usual crowd of over 5,000 fans in the area's biggest prep gridiron rivalry.

On with the forecast:

HIGH SCHOOL
Last week: 10-0, 1.000
Season: 24-7, .774
Friday
St. Joseph 17, Lakeshore 14
River Rouge 35, B. Harbor 13
So. Haven 30, B. Springs 27
Hartford 23, Decatur 20
K. United 34, Watervliet 21
Coloma 32, Parchment 23
Bridgman 40, N. Buffalo 30
W. Tri-unity 66, Eau Claire 22

College
Last week: 19-9, .679
Season: 50-18, .735
Tonight
Houston 31, Tulane 27
Friday
Louisville 34, Geo. Tech 30
Saturday
Notre Dame 42, Florida St. 14
Alabama 49, Mississippi 17
Arkansas St. 21, C. Arkansas 13
Army 42, Citadel 6
Auburn 24, Arkansas 20
BYU 52, UTSA 20
Clemson 38, Miami, Fla. 20
Duke 27, Syracuse 24
Florida 33, Texas A&M 27
Georgia 38, Tennessee 23
Kentucky 31, Mississippi St. 27
Iowa St. 35, Texas Tech 27
La. Tech 31, UTEP 19
Louisiana 28, C. Carolina 21
Liberty 38, UL Monroe 20
LSU 34, Missouri 17
N. Carolina 34, Va. Tech 28
Marshall 28, W. Kentucky 23
Oklahoma 35, Texas 34
Pittsburgh 27, Boston College 23
S. Carolina 28, Vanderbilt 17
S. Florida 28, E, Carolina 20
Temple 28, Navy 24
TCU 37, Kansas St,
Troy 31, Texas St. 23
Virginia 21, NC State 10

Al Arend is a sports correspondent for The Herald-Palladium. His weekly football predictions appear every Thursday throughout the college season.

Similar looks for Bears, Lancers football

SJ, Lakeshore bring strong defenses, option attacks into rivalry matchup

By BEN SANDERS
HP Sports Editor

St. Joseph and Lakeshore bring similar styles into their rivalry football showdown.

Both teams have relied on strong defenses and option-based offenses this season. St. Joseph (3-0) will look to stay undefeated as it makes the short trip to Lakeshore (2-1) for a 7 p.m. Friday kickoff.

"They play very good defense," St. Joseph coach Andrew Pratley said. "They're fundamentally sound. I'm a fan of option, so we'll see that in the mirror."

The game will be limited to 1,000 fans due to COVID-19 restrictions – an increase over previous weeks, but still a ways off the estimated 5,000 it usually attracts.

St. Joseph is coming off its first tough test of the season, rallying for a 20-13 victory over Portage Central last Friday.

"We've got a lot of young kids, and it was a lot of growing up for them," Pratley said.

"We didn't play well at all early and got down quickly. I thought our kids responded well. That was a good experience for them to grow up a little bit, hopefully it will pay dividends down the road."

Seniors Troy Pratley and Griffin Shinrock have led the St. Joseph offense. Pratley has 171 yards and seven touchdowns rushing, and has thrown for 336 yards and four scores. Shinrock has been by far his favorite target, with 14 catches for 253 yards and four touchdowns.

"That's senior leadership of a young offense," coach Pratley said.

Defensively, linemen Joseph Brown and Samuel Simpson have 30 tackles apiece. Brown has 11 tackles for loss and Simpson has 10.

"Sam Simpson and Joe Brown have really played well up front," coach Pratley said. "Our secondary's been tremendous as well."

Lakeshore's offense has relied heavily on the run, led by Aidan Jackson, who has run for 234 yards and two touchdowns. Treyjen Keim has added 139 yards rushing and has been a force on defense, with a team-high 21 tackles, including four for loss.

BCS

Berrien Springs (1-2, 1-2) is at South Haven (1-2, 1-2) in a battle of teams coming off tough losses.

The game has been moved to Saturday, with a 1 p.m. start.

The Shamrocks fell way behind in a 31-15 loss to Buchanan. South Haven couldn't hold the lead in a 28-22 loss to Brandywine. Both teams have wins over Niles.

Independent

Benton Harbor (1-2) rolled to a 42-6 victory over Niles last season, but has a tougher assignment this week against defending Division 3 state champion River Rouge (1-1). The Tigers were successful passing last Friday, with Tyler Meeks throwing for 205 yards and Diontae Tasker adding 76.

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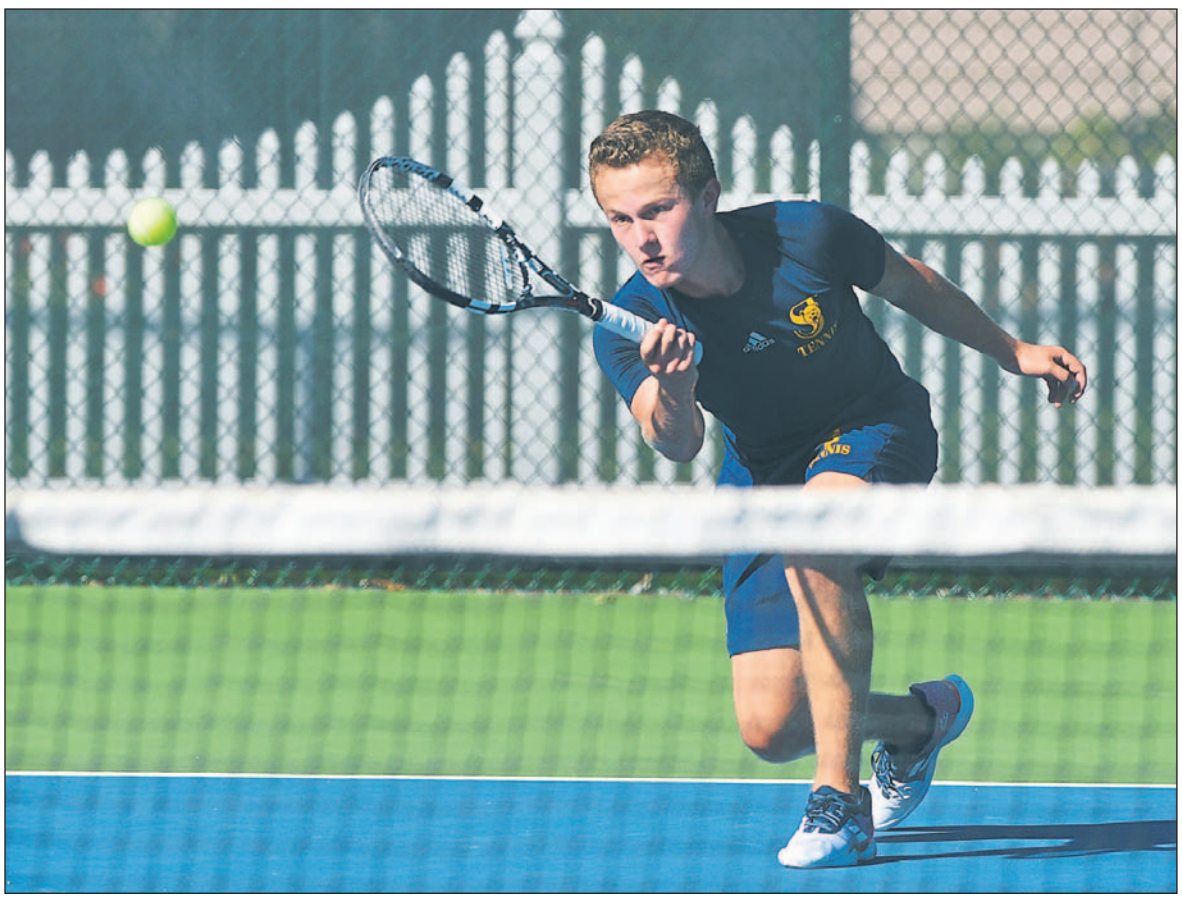
Different format, same results

St. Joseph wins boys tennis district in four-team field

By BEN SANDERS
HP Sports Editor



Photos by Don Campbell / HP staff

St. Joseph's Athan Gregory faces Edwardsburg's Isaac Merrill during a number three singles match during district tennis Wednesday at St. Joseph High School.

ST. JOSEPH — St. Joseph once again ended a postseason boys tennis tournament with a trophy and a spot in the state finals, even if the format was a little different.

The Bears won Wednesday's Division 3 district tournament, defeating Edwardsburg 7-1 in the championship match after a 7-1 semifinal victory over Gull Lake. They advance to the state finals in Holland next week against an opponent to be determined.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the regional was split into two four-team districts, with St. Joseph earning the right to host one as the No. 2 seed in the regional. Sturgis, the top seed, hosted the other. Edwardsburg defeated Vicksburg on its home court in its semifinal before traveling to St. Joseph for the final.

"You have to make adjustments," St. Joseph coach Brian Norris said. "Having a four-team field is good for all the boys. It becomes more important what they're doing, and there's less waiting around time. This is much more efficient.

"The boys played really well. They've been saving their best tennis for the end of the year."

St. Joseph had little trouble in either of its matches on Wednesday, losing only at No. 1 doubles.

"The singles guys played really well," Norris said.

"They were strong in both matches. They've been the strength of our team. Our doubles teams were inexperienced at the start of the year. Each match they learn a little more. Our doubles teams have really improved."

While the St. Joseph players were pleased to win, there were things they missed about the old format. No. 1 singles player Justice Waldman would've liked to battle Sturgis for the regional title.

"We've won 22 out of the last 25 regionals," Waldman said. "This year, I don't think we have the opportunity to, because Sturgis was seeded No. 1, even though I think we would've beat them."

Waldman won 6-1, 6-0 over Gull Lake's Jon McFee, but had a more challenging match against Edwardsburg's Harrison Smith, prevailing 7-5, 6-4.

"No. 1 singles is really a mixed bag," Waldman said. "Sometimes I have days where I'm just pushing it back, and sometimes I have days when I'm moving my feet and stepping into the ball every time. Today was a pushing day, for sure."

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St. Joseph's Justice Waldman returns a shot against Edwardsburg's Harrison Smith during his number one singles match during district tennis Wednesday at St. Joseph High School.

Brady, Bucs look to keep rolling when they meet Bears

By ANDREW SELIGMAN
Associated Press

Jason Behnken / AP

Tampa Bay Buccaneers quarterback Tom Brady throws a pass during last Sunday's game against the Los Angeles Chargers in Tampa, Fla.

CHICAGO — The Tampa Bay Buccaneers signed Tom Brady in the offseason hoping the six-time Super Bowl champion quarterback could help them end a 12-year playoff drought and capture the biggest prize of all.

They're off to a good start.

The Buccaneers come into their matchup against the Chicago Bears on Thursday night eyeing their fourth straight win and looking down at the rest of the NFC South.

"To join a team and to be embraced the way that I've been embraced – it's been amazing for me," Brady said. "(I) just enjoy every minute of it (and) I take that responsibility being a quarterback, being a leader (and) being a captain – I take those not lightly. I want to show up and be the best for my teammates every day. I know they count on me to be dependable (and) consistent. They depend on me to be a great player for the team and I want to deliver for them. It's really been a privilege for me to be here."

The 43-year-old Brady is delivering after his production dipped in his 20th and final season in New England. Signed to a two-year, fully guaranteed $50 million contract, he's tied with Patrick Mahomes for fourth in the league with 11 TD passes behind Russell Wilson (16), Aaron Rodgers (13) and Josh Allen (12).

Brady threw for 369 yards and five touchdowns and helped Tampa Bay overcome a 17-point deficit to beat the Los Angeles Chargers 38-31 last week. In doing that, he became the NFL's all-time regular-season victories leader (222), regardless of position.

Now, Brady is about to face a team that's never beaten him. He is 5-0 with 1,595 yards, 14 touchdowns and four interceptions against Chicago.

The Bears (3-1), meanwhile, hope to bounce back from a 19-11 loss to Indianapolis. Nick Foles will try to get the offense going after struggling last week in his first start after replacing Mitchell Trubisky as Chicago's No. 1 quarterback.

Super memory

Foles and Brady will go against each other for the first time since Super Bowl 52.

Foles was the MVP of that game, throwing for 373 yards and three touchdowns to lead the Philadelphia Eagles to a 41-33 victory over the New England Patriots in Minneapolis and their first Super Bowl title.

"I just remember when I was holding my daughter, Lilly, and I was looking out at my teammates and coaches and they're embracing their families and loved ones," said Foles, who took over for the injured Carson Wentz late that season. "I just remember thinking that's what it's about. It's not about the game. It's about the people you do it with and the hard journey you go on, the ups and downs."

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PREVIEW

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SAC

Watervliet (1-1, 2-1) will host Kalamazoo United (2-0, 3-0). The Panthers are looking to get back on track after a 55-6 loss to Constantine. United has had a strong season, with its closest game a 36-20 loss to Coloma (1-1, 2-1).

The Comets are at Parchment (0-2, 0-3). Coloma is coming off a 42-21 victory over Fennville. Quarterback Drew Goodline has led the Comets with 418 passing yards and seven touchdowns, plus 192 yards rushing and a pair of scores.

Eight-man

Unbeaten New Buffalo (3-0, 3-0) has a big test against rival Bridgman (2-1, 2-1). The two schools were part of a cooperative 11-man program in 2018, the South County Cougars, before switching to eight-man last season. Bridgman won last year's meeting 50-6. The Bees graduated much of that team, and their young squad has been led this season by quarterback Reid Haskins and running back Nate Necas.

Michigan Lutheran (1-2, 1-2) has a non-conference game against Vandercook Lake (1-1). The Jayhawks have played one other Southwest Michigan Eight-Man Football League opponent this season, beating Marcellus 30-26.

Eau Claire (1-2, 1-2) is coming off its first eight-man win, a 30-27 victory over Bangor. The Beavers will have a tough test this week against Wyoming Tri-unity Christian (1-2, 1-2). The Defenders were edged 28-26 by New Buffalo last week.

Southwest 10

Hartford (0-3, 0-3) takes on Decatur (0-3, 0-3) as both teams seek their first win. Decatur leads the series 31-26 dating back to 1950, but Hartford won 42-6 last season.

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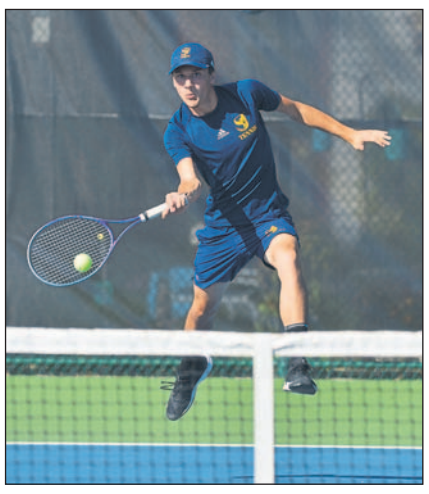

St. Joseph's Owen Faulkner approaches the net during a number one doubles match against Edwardsburg during district tennis Wednesday at St. Joseph High School.

Don Campbell / HP staff

TENNIS

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Waldman will get to play on in an individual No. 1 singles state tournament. But the rest of the Bears' strong singles lineup – No. 2 Grant Banasik, No. 3 Athan Gregory and No. 4 Tyler Romano – can only compete in the team tournament. The traditional state format would've allowed them to advance through brackets in their individual flights.

"Who we play won't be based on our personal records, it will be based on the team's record," Banasik said. "Which is a little disappointing, but it should be fun. I'm hoping we get to at least the second or third round, depending on who we play."

Banasik described his performance in a 6-3, 6-3 win over Edwardsburg's Noah Taulbee as "messy", but was happier with how he played in a 7-6, 6-3 victory over Gull Lake's Jacob Avery.

"I had a really good match with (Avery)," he said. "I'm not disappointed (with the new format). I think it was a fun day."

Championship

ST. JOSEPH 7, EDWARDSBURG 1

Singles — 1. Justice Waldman (SJ) d. Harrison Smith 7-5, 6-4; 2. Grant Banasik (SJ) d. Noah Taulbee 6-3, 6-3; 3. Athan Gregory (SJ) d. Isaac Merrill 6-2, 6-4; 4. Tyler Romano (SJ) d. Ethan Emenacker 6-2, 6-2.
Doubles – 1. Brady Layher-Trace Milliken (E) d. Owen Faulkner-Ani Anirudh 2-6, 6-3, 6-3; 2. Levi Beam-Harsh Gupta (SJ) d. Tommy Oppman-P.J. Albright 7-5, 6-0; 3. Nick Clancy-Ilo Coar (SJ) d. Aden Hurd-Owen Eberlein 6-3, 6-2; 4. Prosper Waldman-Kevin Rutz (SJ) d. Nathan Hayes-Hudson Haberland by default.

Semifinal

ST. JOSEPH 7, GULL LAKE 1

Singles — 1. Justice Waldman (SJ) d. Jon McFee 6-1, 6-0; 2. Grant Banasik (SJ) d. Jacob Avery 7-6, 6-3; 3. Athan Gregory (SJ) d. Jonas Likens 6-2, 6-2; 4. Tyler Romano (SJ) d. Blake Chadwick 6-0, 6-0.
Doubles – 1. Zackary Collard-Kiley Chrisman (GL) d. Owen Faulkner-Ani Anirudh 6-2, 6-0; 2. Levi Beam-Harsh Gupta (SJ) d. Thaler Garside-Will Lin 6-2, 6-2; 3. Nick Clancy-Ilo Coar (SJ) d. Preston Pero-Andrew Turmo 6-1, 6-2; 4. Prosper Waldman-Kevin Rutz (SJ) d. Kaeden Lee-Nathan Hubbard 6-2, 6-1.

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SCOREBOARD

CROSS COUNTRY

LAKESHORE QUAD

Boys

Team scores – Lakeshore 24, Bridgman 35, Eau Claire 80, Grace Christian DNF
Lakeshore – 1. Race Bettich 16:00.5, 4. Grant Rose 18:33.9, 5. Lucas Balkema 18:53.9, 6. Caleb Christian 18:59.5, 8. Sam Stephens 19:31.6.
Bridgman – 2. Luke Blesy 17:40.1, 3. John Sanderson 18:24.6, 7. Aj Hackett 19:17.8, 11. Sebastian Kirk 19:43.1, 12. Nathan Blied 20:15.9.
Eau Claire – 10. Edward Lopez 19:38.0, 16. Jose Martinez-Venegas 25:26.9, 17. Karl Overton 31:56.5, 18. Henry Atkins 35:22.7, 19. Jordan Phillips 36:27.7
Grace Christian – 3. Joel Chandler 18:10.5, 19. Isaac Reeves 21:50.6, 22. Ben Dersosiers 23:04.3.

Girls

Lakeshore 28, Bridgman 29, Eau Claire DNF
Lakeshore – 2. Emily Peters 10 20:35.1, 5. Abigail Winsman 22:26.1, 6. Haylee Woods 10 22:42.4, 7. Rachel Vroegop 22:44.8, 8. Sophia Ceru 22:50.5.
Bridgman – 1. Karsyn Stewart 20:16.3, 3. Summer Fast 22:06.6, 4. Arie Hackett 22:14.5, 9. Jane Kaspar 22:56.8, 12. Graci Tate 23:49.4.
Eau Claire – 3. Ericka Lopez 22:06.5.

VOLLEYBALL

Wednesday's results

RIVER VALLEY D. EAU CLAIRE 25-13, 25-11, 26-24

Eau Claire — Alisha Tokarz 2 digs, Ali Ferry 3 aces 1 assist 11 digs, Kayla Ferry 2 aces 2 assists 2 kills 1 dig, Lizzy Little 2 aces 3 kills 6 digs, Julia Kurland 2 aces 2 assists 1 kill 1 dig, Nicole Clark 1 dig, Jazmyn Martinez 2 digs, Emilee Demski 1 ace 3 kills 2 digs 2 blocks, Kriscia Whitfield 1 ace 1 assist.

MICHIGAN LUTHERAN D. LAWRENCE 25-14, 25-13, 25-14

Michigan Lutheran — Hailey Conrad 6 kills, 10 assists, 6 aces; Sophee Garcia 3 kills, 15 assists, 5 aces; Brooke Garlach 9 kills, 5 digs; Abigail marquis 4 digs; Jenna Koehler 15 digs; Natalie Ritter 6 kills, 5 digs; Jules Koehler 3 digs; Reese Maas 3 digs; Kennedy Stillson 2 digs; Kaylee Schebel 3 kills.
Record – Michigan Lutheran 3-0 BCS White, 5-6.

SOUTH HAVEN D. BUCHANAN 26-24, 25-15, 25-18

Buchanan — Katie Schau 8 kills, 15 digs' Josie West 8 kills; Hailey Jonazke 15 digs.
Record – Buchanan 2-2 BCS Red, 9-3.

NILES D. COMSTOCK 25-9, 25-13, 25-6

Niles — Marika Ruppart 9 kills, 3 blocks; Laura Golubski 6 kills, 1 dig, 1 ace; Cadence Knight 2 aces, 6 digs, 1 assist; Amelia Florkowski 5 digs, 2 assists; Emma Beckman 11 assists, 4 digs, 2 kills.
Record – Niles 5-0 BCS Red, 10-8.

BRIDGMAN D. BERRIEN SPRINGS 25-23, 25-15, 25-12

Berrien Springs — Jasyl Withers 3 digs; Kristen Krause 1 block, 3 kills, 3 digs, 18 assists; Jessy Silva 1 ace, 18 digs; Gabby Cuthbert 9 kills, 1 dig; Sarah Davey 1 kill, 1 ace; Jakyrah Palmer 2 blocks, 2 kills; Ellie Griffiths 2 kills, 4 aces, 3 digs; Olivia Elliott 7 kills, 3 aces, 1 dig, 2 assists.
Bridgman – Peyton Oman 2 aces, 7 kills, 1 assist, 1 blocks, 17 digs; Haylee Kanous 21 assists, 12 digs; Takiya Cornelius 14 kills, 2 blocks, 4 digs; Bella Gearheardt 2 kills, 1 assist, 2 blocks, 5 digs; Javin Graves 1 dig; Autumn Brown 1 ace, 14 digs; Ellie Stein 1 dig; Bre Russell 13 digs; Kelcy Keller 2 digs.
Records – Bridgman 2-2 BCS Red, 7-6.

Tuesday's results

NEW BUFFALO D. RIVER VALLEY 25-15, 25-14, 25-10

New Buffalo — Ava Mullen 11 kills 10 digs, Kelsey Corkan 4 aces 22 assists, Sophia DeOliveira 3 aces 10 kills, Ashley Hauseman 6 kills.
Record – New Buffalo 2-0 BCS White, 10-0.

BOYS SOCCER

WATERVLIET 4, KAL. CHRISTIAN 2

Goals — Watervliet: Nathan Isbrecht 2, Brennen Bornas, Brady Bornas.
Assists – Watervliet: Erick Perez Cruz, Ryan Knapp, Alex Mejia.
Saves – Zach Hastings (W) 9.
Record – Watervliet 7-2 SAC, 9-2.

NILES 9, BERRIEN SPRINGS 1

Goals — Niles: Dominic Thornton 4, Cade Vota 2, Kevin Magana, Daniel Becraft, Andrews Ntisful.
Assists – Vota 2, Thornton, Magana, Ntisful.
Saves – Antwon Whitelow (N) 3.

COLOMA 7, LAWTON 1

Goals — Coloma: Lucian Whitaker 2, Cannon Hodges 3, Ethan O'Connell, Luis Olvera-Rodriguez. Lawton: Ethan O'Connell.
Assists – Coloma: Fletcher Todd 2, Whitaker, Luke Phillips.
Shots – Coloma 20, Lawton 6.
Saves – Wes Seabury (C) 5.
Halftime – Coloma 4-1.
Record – Coloma 4-5 SAC, 5-6.

MLB

DIVISION SERIES (Best-of-5)
American League
New York Yankees 1, Tampa Bay 1
At San Diego
Monday, Oct. 5: New York Yankees 9, Tampa Bay 3
Tuesday, Oct. 6: Tampa Bay 7, New York Yankees 5
Wednesday, Oct. 7: Tampa Bay (Morton 2-2) vs. New York Yankees (Tanaka 3-3)
x-Thursday, Oct. 8: Tampa Bay vs. New York Yankees (Happ 2-2), 7:10 p.m. (TBS)
x-Friday, Oct. 9: New York Yankees vs. Tampa Bay, 7:10 p.m. (TBS)
Houston 2, Oakland 1
At Los Angeles
Monday, Oct. 5: Houston 10, Oakland 5
Tuesday, Oct. 6: Houston 5, Oakland 2
Wednesday, Oct. 7: Oakland 9, Houston 7
x-Thursday, Oct. 8: Oakland vs. Houston, 3:35 p.m. (TBS)
x-Friday, Oct. 9: Houston vs. Oakland, 3:35 p.m. (TBS)

National League
Los Angeles Dodgers 1, San Diego 0
At Arlington, Texas
Tuesday, Oct. 6: Los Angeles Dodgers 5, San Diego 1
Wednesday, Oct. 7: San Diego vs. Los Angeles Dodgers (Kershaw 6-2)
Thursday, Oct. 8: Los Angeles Dodgers vs. San Diego, 9:08 p.m. (MLB)
x-Friday, Oct. 9: Los Angeles Dodgers vs. San Diego, 9:08 p.m. (FS1)
x-Saturday, Oct. 10: San Diego vs. Los Angeles Dodgers, 8:08 p.m. (FS1)
Atlanta 2, Miami 0
At Houston
Tuesday, Oct. 6: Atlanta 9, Miami 5
Wednesday, Oct. 7: Atlanta 2, Miami 0
Thursday, Oct. 8: Atlanta (Wright 2-4) vs. Miami (Sánchez 3-2), 2:08 p.m. (FS1)
x-Friday, Oct. 9: Atlanta vs. Miami, 2:08 p.m. (FS1)
x-Saturday, Oct. 10: Miami vs. Atlanta, 4:08 p.m. (FS1)

NFL

Thursday's Game
Tampa Bay at Chicago, 8:20 p.m.
Sunday's Game
Cincinnati at Baltimore, 1 p.m.
Phila. at Pittsburgh, 1 p.m.
Carolina at Atlanta, 1 p.m.
Las Vegas at Kansas City, 1 p.m.
L.A. Rams at Washington, 1 p.m.
Buffalo at Tennessee, 1 p.m.
Arizona at N.Y. Jets, 1 p.m.
Jacksonville at Houston, 1 p.m.
Miami at San Francisco, 4:05 p.m.
N.Y. Giants at Dallas, 4:25 p.m.
Denver at New England, 4:25 p.m.
Indianapolis at Cleveland, 4:25 p.m.
Minnesota at Seattle, 8:20 p.m.
Open: Detroit, Green Bay
Monday, Oct. 12
L.A. Chargers at New Orleans, 8:15 p.m.

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Close friends

Bucs coach Bruce Arians and Bears defensive coordinator Chuck Pagano are longtime friends, having worked together in Cleveland and Indianapolis. When Pagano took over as head coach of the Colts in 2012, he hired Arians as his offensive coordinator. Indianapolis won 11 games that season, with Arians going 9-3 as interim coach while Pagano was battling leukemia. Arians was hired to coach the Arizona Cardinals.

"We're close. He's like my brother from the West Coast," Arians said. "I never like going against friends. It takes a lot of the joy from winning out. But, (I) definitely still want to win."

Not-so special

The Bears committed eight penalties for 103 yards against the Colts, with special teams getting flagged four times. On top of that, they had a punt blocked on the game's opening possession. And that helped set up a touchdown for Indianapolis.

"Self-inflicted negative," special teams coordinator Chris Tabor said. "Things you talk about in the room that you can't do stuff to yourself and expect to play well. And we had some mental errors there that can't happen."

Looking back

The Bucs would just as soon forget the previous time they visited Soldier Field, when Trubisky threw for six TDs to lead Chicago to a 48-10 victory in September 2018.

Linebacker Lavonte David noted there aren't many players remaining from the defense that took the field for the Bucs that day.

"It's changed a lot," David said. "I know we still kind of have that taste in our mouth. That was one of those games where you just want to forget about (it) but you can't forget. That was in the past. We've moved on and I'm sure we'll be a lot better defensively."

No running room

The Bears ran for just 28 yards last week, after the ground game carried them in the first three games. Getting it back in gear won't be easy this week, considering Tampa Bay ranks second against the run.

"That happened to be a game there, where we were just struggling to get it going," coach Matt Nagy said. "I have a lot of confidence in our guys. I know our guys, that offensive line, tight ends and running backs are excited to get back out there."

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PRIME TIME TV

THURSDAY EVENING OCT. 8

	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30
ABC 7 13 41 57	Wheel of Fortune	Celebrity Family Feud (N)		Press Your Luck "The Prize Magnet"		:01 Match Game (N) CC (DVS)	
CBS 2 3 22	Ent. Tonight	Big Brother A houseguest is evicted. (N)		:01 Young Sheldon	:31 Mom CC	Star Trek: Discovery (N) CC	
NBC 5 8 16	Ac. Hollywood	CONNECT	Closer Look	Dateline NBC CC			
FOX 17 222 28 32	NFL Pregame	NFL Football Tampa Bay Buccaneers at Chicago Bears. (N) (L)					
PBS 34	Radar-Michigan	Poldark on Masterpiece CC		Father Brown "The Dance of Death"		Antiques Roadshow "Indianapolis" CC	
CW 25	Big Bang Theory	Supernatural "Last Holiday" (N) CC		The Outpost ((SP)) (N) CC		News	Seinfeld "Pilot"
MNT 50	Family Feud	Dateline "The Unusual Suspect" (N)		Dateline "The Alibi" CC		Law & Order: Criminal Intent CC	
WCIU 26	Mike & Molly	Supernatural "Last Holiday" (N) CC		The Outpost ((SP)) (N) CC		King of Queens	King of Queens
WHME 46	:00 Heartland	Heartland "The Natural" CC (DVS)		Highway to Heaven "Parents' Day"		Nightly News	
WGN 9	News	black-ish	black-ish	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	WGN News at Nine (N) (L) CC	
A&E	:00 The First 48	The First 48 "End of the Road" CC		The First 48 CC		:01 The First 48 CC	
AMC	★★ The Crazies	★★★ Insidious ('10, Horror) Patrick Wilson, Rose Byrne, Lin Shaye. CC					Insidious: Chapter 2
Animal	Catch	Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch	
BET	6:30 ★ Waist Deep ('06)			★★ All About the Benjamins ('02)			
Big Ten	To Be Announced				B1G	B1G	B1G
Bravo	Southern Charm	Southern Charm (N) CC		Housewives/NYC		Watch What	How to Be Single
Cartoon	Victor	Gumball	Gumball	Burgers	Burgers	American	American
Cinemax	Dodgeball-True	★★ Revenge of the Nerds II: Nerds in Paradise ('87)		★★ Revenge of the Nerds IV: Nerds in Love ('94)			
CMT	Last Man	★★ She's All That ('99) CC				Runaway Bride	
CNBC	S. Smith	Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank CC	
CNN	OutFront	Anderson Cooper		Cuomo Prime Time		CNN Tonight	
Comedy	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office
Discovery	Last Frontier	Alaska: The Last Frontier "Danger and Destruction" (N) CC					
Disney	Jessie	Jessie	Jessie	Jessie	Bunk'd	Bunk'd	Bunk'd
DIY	Maine	Flea	Flea	Flea	Flea	Bargain	Bargain
E!	Kardas	The Kardashians		Bradshaw	The Kardashians		Dr. 90210
ESPN	College Football Tulane at Houston. (N) (L)						SportCtr
ESPN2	2020 WNBA Finals			eSports		Match	TBA
ESPNC	Football	College Football From Oct. 20, 2012.				Classic-Boxing	
Food	Haunted	Gingerbread		Good Eats (N) CC		Beat Flay	Beat Flay
Fox News	The Story	Tucker Carlson		Hannity (N) CC		The Ingraham Angle	
Fox Sports	Pistons	Spartans	Inside	Shogun Fights (N)		Shogun Fights (N)	
Freefrm	:00 ★★ The Addams Family ('91) Anjelica Huston.			★★ Addams Family Values ('93, Comedy) Anjelica Huston, Raul Julia. CC			
FX	:00 ★★ Hotel Transylvania 3: Summer Vacation ('18)			★★ Hotel Transylvania 2 ('15, Children's) Voices of Adam Sandler. CC			
Golf	PGA Golf	Central	Central	PGA Golf			
Hallmark	Valentine Mat	A Winter Princess ('19, Romance) Natalie Hall, Chris McNally, Lara Gilchrist. CC				Golden Girls	Golden Girls
HBO	:00 The Vow	Lovecraft Country CC		Coastal Elites Politics, culture and the pandemic. CC			The Way Back
History	Pickers	American Pickers		:02 American Pickers		:05 American Pickers	
HGTV	Flipping	Flipping	Flipping	Flipping 101		Hunters	Hunt Intl
Learning	Dr. Pim	Dr. Pim	My Feet	Dr. Pimple Popper		Dr. Pim	My Feet
Lifetime	:00 Wife Swap	Married at First Sight (N) CC		Married at First Sight ((F)) The final opportunity. (N) CC			
MSNBC	ReidOut	All In With		Rachel Maddow		The Last Word	
MTV	Ridic.	Double Shot at Love		Ridic.	Ridic.	Ridic.	Ridic.
NBCSCH	Primetime	Premier League Soccer Teams TBA.				Heartland Poker	
NFL	NFL Pregame		NFL Football: Buccaneers at Bears				
Nick	Loud	★★★ How to Train Your Dragon				Friends	Friends
NGEO	Life Be	Life Below Zero (N)		Life Below Zero		:15 Life Below Zero	
Oxygen	:00 Snapped	Buried in the Backyard (N)		Injustice With Nancy Grace		Snapped "Judy Parker" CC	
Parmt	:00 ★★★★ Goodfellas ('90) Robert De Niro. CC						Goodfel
Showtime	Catch Me-Can	Shameless "El Gran Canon" CC		Swallow ('19, Suspense) Haley Bennett. (P). CC			:45 Desus & Mero
Starz	5:55 ★★ Spider-Man 3 ('07) CC		:18 Emperor ('20) Dayo Okeniyi, Naturi Naughton. CC			Vida "Episode 18"	Escape Room
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SyFy	6:30 ★★ Sinister ('12, Horror) Ethan Hawke. CC			★★★ It Follows ('14, Horror) Maika Monroe, Keir Gilchrist. (P).			
TBS	MLB Baseball Division Series: Teams TBA. (N) (L) CC						
TCM	Bombshell ('33)	★★★ The Front Page ('31, Comedy) Adolphe Menjou, Pat O'Brien. CC				★★ Detour ('45) Tom Neal. CC	
TMC	Slow West ('15)	★★ National Treasure ('04, Adventure) Nicolas Cage, Diane Kruger. CC				:15 ★★ Red ('10) Bruce Willis.	
TNT	:00 Bones	★★ London Has Fallen ('16, Action)				★ Geostorm	
Travel	Ghost	Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures	
TV Land	Andy G.	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond
USA	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	
VH1	6:30 ★★★ Drumline ('02)			★★ Love Don't Cost a Thing ('03)			
WGN-A	Last Man Standing	NewsNation (N) (L) CC		NewsNation (N) (L) CC		NewsNation (N) (L) CC	

Man's internet addiction makes woman a social media widow

DEAR ABBY: I realize that social media is a big part of today's world, and I have no problem with someone using it to stay in contact with family and friends. But at what point is it deemed an addiction?

Jeanne Phillips
Dear Abby

My significant other spends hours every day scrolling through his Facebook and Twitter pages. I have tried discussing it with him, but it becomes an argument. Now I just sit in the same room with him, silent and waiting until it's my turn for his attention. How can I get him to realize how isolated from him it makes me feel and that my presence doesn't seem to be needed? Should I just accept that he's an addict and move on? – Offline In Florida

DEAR OFFLINE: Something becomes an addiction when it causes a disruption in one's life. Your significant other isn't the first person to have been seduced by the internet. He may argue with you because he doesn't realize the amount of time he spends glued to his screen.

Try this: Quietly clock the time he's on FB and Twitter for one week. Afterward, ask him if he realizes how much time he is spending there. He may be shocked when you read him the number of hours. That's the time to express how isolated and unneeded this has made you feel. He may be willing to install an app that signals when the time limit he has allotted himself is up.

Discuss making a "date" for the two of you to get out of the house as a couple on a regular basis – without devices – to take a walk, go to the park or have socially distanced coffee somewhere, which may interrupt his habit and enable you to enjoy some time together when you are both fully present. But if he isn't interested, you may have to decide if you want to continue being his lady-in-waiting.

DEAR ABBY: Is it rude or disrespectful for someone to change their first name? I'm in my early 30s and have wanted to change mine my whole life. I changed the spelling of my name when I was 12, and my parents legally changed it for me when I was a teenager. But I still don't like the name, and I cringe whenever I hear it.

Because it's a common name for someone my age, I'm sure most people won't understand if I change it. While I respect the effort my parents put into selecting a name for me, I don't want to be stuck with this one for the rest of my life. I don't want to cause hurt feelings. However, I'm ultimately the one who has to live with it.

Should I do what feels right for me, or must I accept the negative feelings and the disconnect I have toward the name to spare my family's feelings? – Disconnected Out West

DEAR DISCONNECTED: Many people change their name(s) for various reasons. If you feel the need to do it in order to be a more authentic version of yourself, go for it. Assuming you have told your parents how you feel about your first name, I doubt they'll be any more upset about it than they were when they helped you change its spelling as a teenager.

A word of caution, however. The process may take more time than you would like because the pandemic has slowed the court system considerably. Also, once you change your name, you will need to change it on all official identifying documents, such as your driver's license, insurance documents, passport, etc., which can be time-consuming.

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Husband's blog comment hurts

Adapted from an online discussion.

DEAR CAROLYN: I stumbled on a comment my husband left on a blog he reads. The context is complicated, but the gist of his comment was that when he was choosing a wife (me), he was not worried about finding someone he considered his intellectual equal but rather someone who would be loving and supportive toward him on a daily basis.

Carolyn Hax

I have never, ever heard him express anything like this in public, and wouldn't have married him if I had. We are equals – ours is not an old-fashioned helpmeet marriage, and we are not even religious. We both work in academia and I consider myself an intelligent person. He is, too.

I am shocked and hurt by this and haven't begun to untangle what to say to him about it. The blog is public – this wasn't snooping, just unfortunate chance. – So Hurt

DEAR SO HURT: Yikes.

But what you think he was thinking is probably much worse than what he was thinking. So, don't worry about what to say to him, just tell him you saw it and ask him what he meant by it.

My guess is that he meant to address his priorities, not your abilities. Whatever he says, that's the thing to respond to, not your worst assumptions. I'm also guessing you'll be able to tell whether his explanation is genuine – and if it's not, then that's what you talk about.

Maybe this is purely artificial sunshine, but it is entirely possible he prioritized someone loving and supportive and was rewarded for that by finding in you a loving supporter *and* intellectual equal.

Anyway. Give him a chance to fix what he broke.

Regarding Intellectual Equal: I'm a professor. People who are professors can be really snobby about others being their intellectual equal, as if book smarts are the only thing that matter.

A dear friend – a professor marrying another professor – printed their academic credentials on the back of their wedding program. They were not being ironic.

I did not choose my husband because he was my intellectual equal, either. I chose him because he is a warm, wonderful, supportive human being. Who I love more than anything else.

He *is* my intellectual equal. It's one of the things I love about him. But that's irrelevant. I can imagine marrying someone not as "smart" but warm supportive and loving.

I cannot imagine marrying someone who is smart but a jerk. That's how I read the blog comment. Who people are is much more important than how smart they are. – Professor

Regarding Intellectual Equal: A wiser man would have posted, "I wasn't concerned with finding someone who is my intellectual equal, and it's a good thing, because she's smarter than I am." – Wiser

DEAR WISER: A smarter man, you mean.

Regarding Intellectual Equal: I hope my wife doesn't go around (correctly) pointing out that I'm not her emotional-intelligence equal, and that I lack her amazing common sense. Actually, I'm fine with that.

Maybe my SAT scores were higher than hers. I don't care. The fact is, we each bring strengths to the relationship. And hers are more important to the success of the relationship than are mine. – Fine With That

DEAR READERS: A-plus, everyone, thank you.

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CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1 Sear a steak
5 Damage
9 Kendall or Starr
12 Banjo ancestor
13 Italian eight
14 Letter after zeta
15 Excited
16 Palm reader, maybe
17 — capita
18 Shoves off
20 Actor Anthony —
22 Scale notes
23 Moth or ant
24 Savalas of "Kojak"
27 Donkey's bray
30 Influence
31 Witty fellow
32 Kitchen topper
34 Push-up muscle
35 Hirt and Pacino
36 Fries or slaw
37 Break away
40 Chip producer
41 Frothy brew
42 Python or wrap
43 Work hard
46 Feed
50 Colorful carp
51 Goatee spot
53 Crazy
54 Goal
55 Ditty
56 Bond's alma mater
57 Minuscule
58 Trawler's haul
59 Calendar info

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1 Wearing something
2 Of great size
3 Perched on
4 In a kingly manner
5 Throngs
6 Comanche neighbors
7 Road map no.
8 Rotational force
9 Military cap
10 Two fives for — —
11 Adventure tale
19 Glimmer of hope
21 Yuck!
23 Panhandles
24 Recipe meas.
25 Flock members
26 Tighten
27 Nathan the patriot
28 Touched down
29 Not narrow
31 Stay near the shore
33 — City, Okla.
36 Growled
38 Cleveland hoopster
39 Puts in office
40 Item in a poker pot
42 Filleted
43 Distort, as data
44 Solitary
45 Candy striper
46 1492 caravel
47 Plato's vowel
48 Bagpipes player
49 Whetstone
52 Bewildered response

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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JUMBLE

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

THWCA

SYHTA

SIMACO

CTALEK

Wow! Are you going to sell these?
I'm going to fly from place to place making sales.
THE OSPREY ARTIST CREATED ORIGINAL PAINTINGS AND PLANNED TO ---

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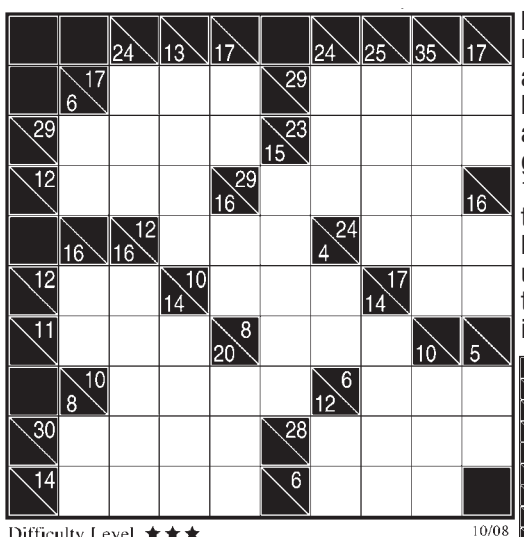
Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Print your answer here: _____ _____

(Answers tomorrow)

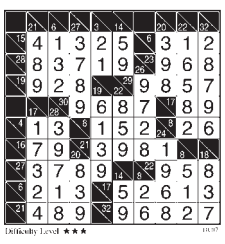
Yesterday's Jumbles: VILLA LIGHT ENOUGH CAMPUS
Answer: They wanted a better view of the small inlet from their home, so they built an — ALCOVE

KAKURO



Difficulty Level ★★★ 10/08

How to play: Numbers above the slash are across clues; numbers below the slash are down clues. The goal is to enter digits 1-9 in the white cells to add up to the number clues. You cannot use any digit more than once when adding up to a clue.



BRIDGE

Winthrop Mackworth Praed, a 19th-century English politician and poet, wrote, "His partners at the whist-club said that he was faultless in his dealings."

Someone who is near-faultless at a bridge club will be in big demand as a partner. One aspect of that faultlessness is thinking about partner's problems in a deal. How should the defenders have defeated four spades in today's deal? West led the diamond seven: two, nine, ace. Declarer ruffed the diamond eight on the board and played a trump. When East failed to follow suit, South played his 10. How should West have proceeded from there?

Some Wests would have made a takeout double over one spade, but that would have risked playing in a 4-2 diamond fit. The North hand has only eight losers: three spades, two hearts, one diamond and two clubs. This is the number for a three-spade game-invitational limit raise. But North did not look further than his 7 high-card points. No problem, though, as South easily had enough to bid game.

At the time, West won with his spade king, cashed the club ace and played another club. East took that trick and, thinking that partner was now out of clubs, led his last club. South ruffed high, drew trumps ending on the board and discarded his heart loser on the club queen.

Probably East should have found the winning defense because West rated not to have started with 4-5-2-2 distribution. But West was primarily at fault. He knew the position. After taking the club ace and before leading the second club, he should have cashed the heart ace.

North 10-08-20
♠ J 6 5 3
♥ K 9 8 2
♦ 2
♣ Q J 8 3

West
♠ K 9 2
♥ A 10 7 4
♦ 7 3
♣ A 9 5 4

East
♠ —
♥ Q J 6 3
♦ J 10 9 6 5 4
♣ K 7 6

South
♠ A Q 10 8 7 4
♥ 5
♦ A K Q 8
♣ 10 2

Dealer: South
Vulnerable: East-West

South	West	North	East
1♠	Pass	2♠	Pass
4♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♦ 7

SUDOKU

DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★☆☆

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How to play: Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9.

PREVIOUS SOLUTION

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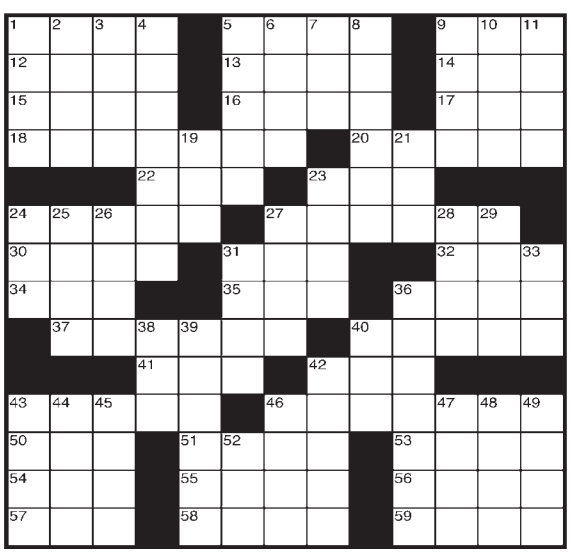

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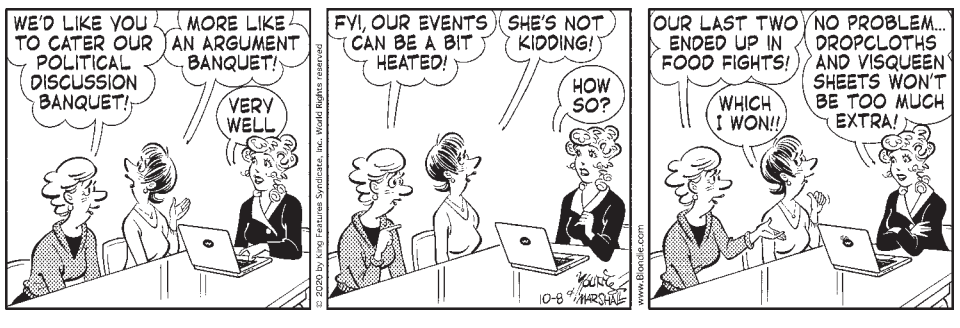
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HOW SO?
OUR LAST TWO ENDED UP IN FOOD FIGHTS!
NO PROBLEM... DROPCLOTHS AND VISQUEEN SHEETS WON'T BE TOO MUCH EXTRA!
WHICH I WON!!
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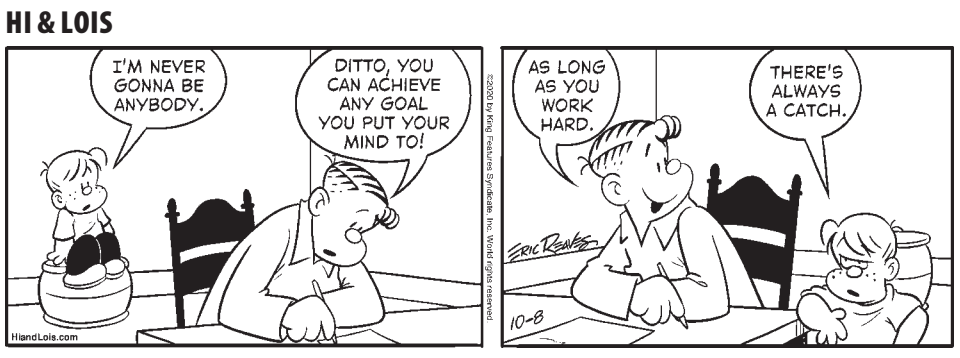
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AS LONG AS YOU WORK HARD.
THERE'S ALWAYS A CATCH.
ERIC REYNES
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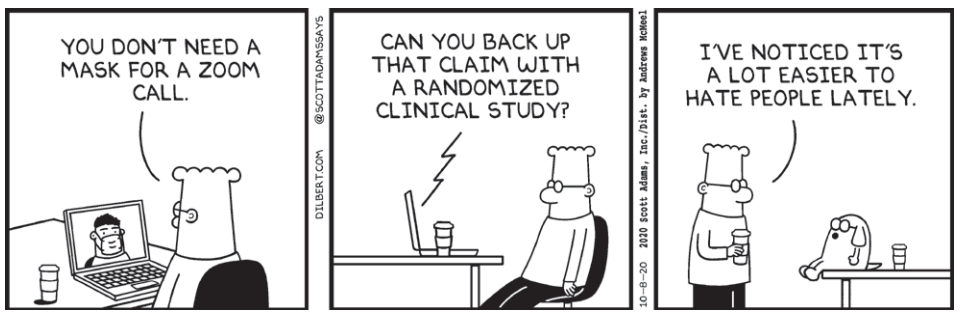
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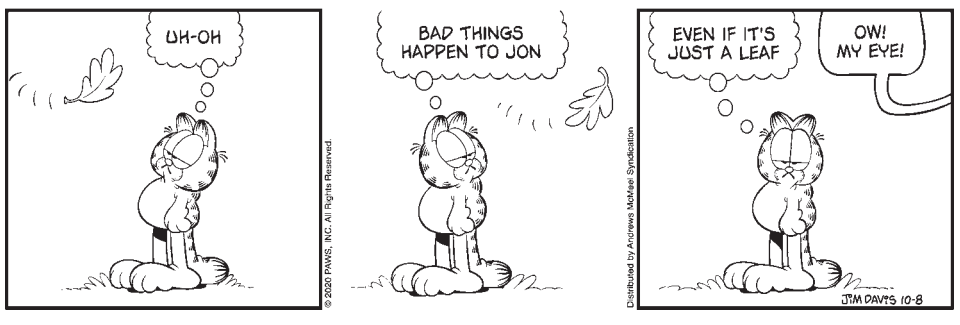
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BAD THINGS HAPPEN TO JON
EVEN IF IT'S JUST A LEAF
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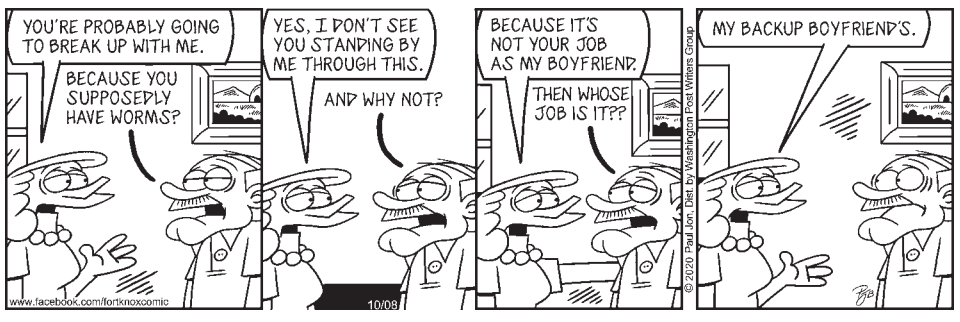
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BECAUSE YOU SUPPOSEDLY HAVE WORMS?
YES, I DON'T SEE YOU STANDING BY ME THROUGH THIS.
AND WHY NOT?
BECAUSE IT'S NOT YOUR JOB AS MY BOYFRIEND.
THEN WHOSE JOB IS IT??
MY BACKUP BOYFRIEND'S.
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PICKLES

WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING AT, EARL?
I'M WATCHING A SPIDER CRAWLING ACROSS THE CEILING.
WHERE? I DON'T SEE A SPIDER.
OH... I GUESS IT MUST'VE FALLEN INTO YOUR HAIR OR SOMETHING.
AACK!!
AS LONG AS YOU'RE UP, WOULD YOU MIND FIXING ME A SANDWICH?
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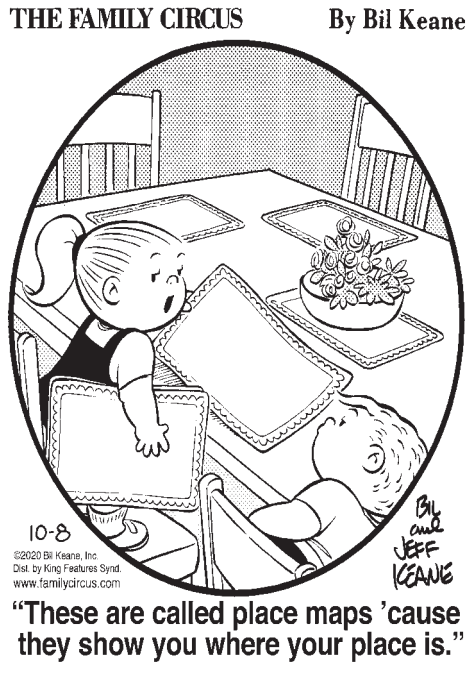
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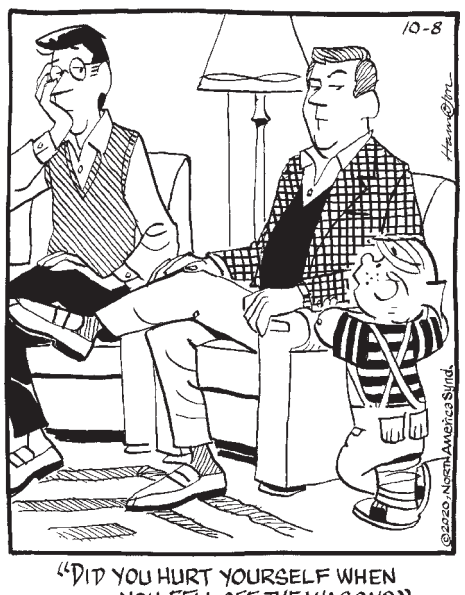
"These are called place maps 'cause they show you where your place is."

DENNIS THE MENACE



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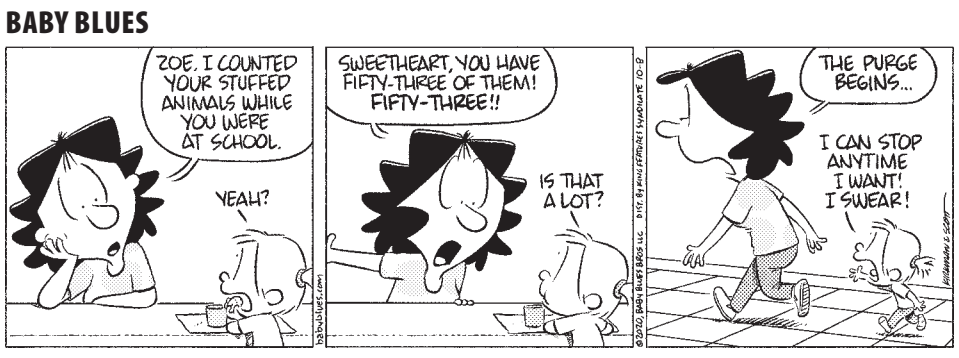
ZOE, I COUNTED YOUR STUFFED ANIMALS WHILE YOU WERE AT SCHOOL.
YEAH?
SWEETHEART, YOU HAVE FIFTY-THREE OF THEM! FIFTY-THREE!!
IS THAT A LOT?
THE PURGE BEGINS...
I CAN STOP ANYTIME I WANT! I SWEAR!
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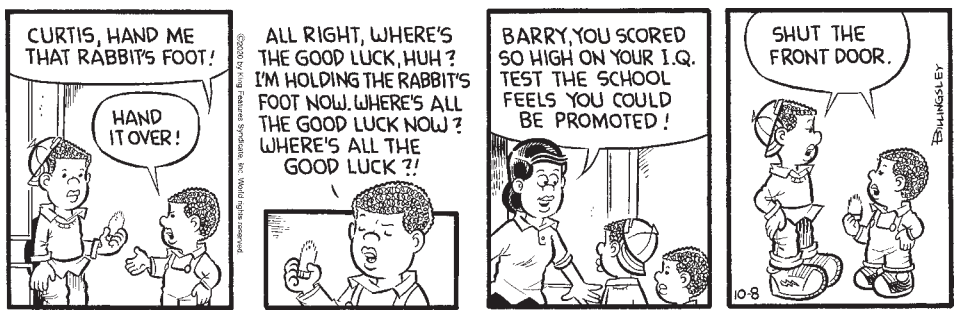
CURTIS


CURTIS, HAND ME THAT RABBIT'S FOOT!
HAND IT OVER!
ALL RIGHT, WHERE'S THE GOOD LUCK, HUH? I'M HOLDING THE RABBIT'S FOOT NOW. WHERE'S ALL THE GOOD LUCK NOW? WHERE'S ALL THE GOOD LUCK?!
BARRY, YOU SCORED SO HIGH ON YOUR I.Q. TEST THE SCHOOL FEELS YOU COULD BE PROMOTED!
SHUT THE FRONT DOOR.
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BILLINGSLEY

ZITS

YOU FOUND YOUR PHONE!
IT WAS IN MY WASTE-BASKET.
GOOD THING I NEVER EMPTY IT WHEN YOU TELL ME TO.
SCOTTAMA BORGMAN 10-8
THAT'S THE LESSON HERE?
LAZINESS PAYS.
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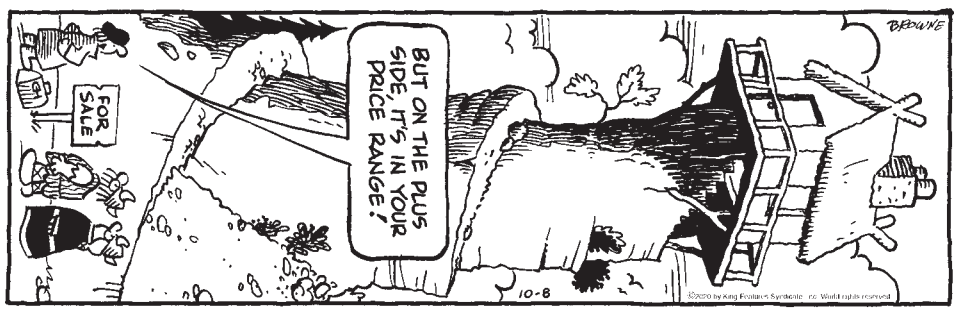
HAGAR THE HORRIBLE


FOR SALE
BUT ON THE PLUS SIDE, IT'S IN YOUR PRICE RANGE!
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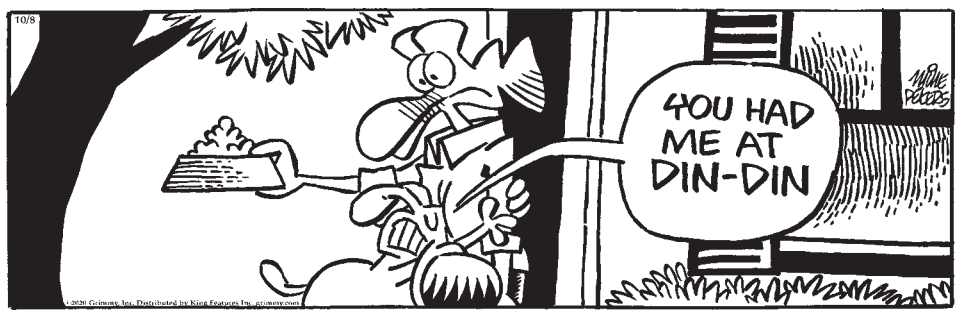
MOTHER GOOSE & GRIMM



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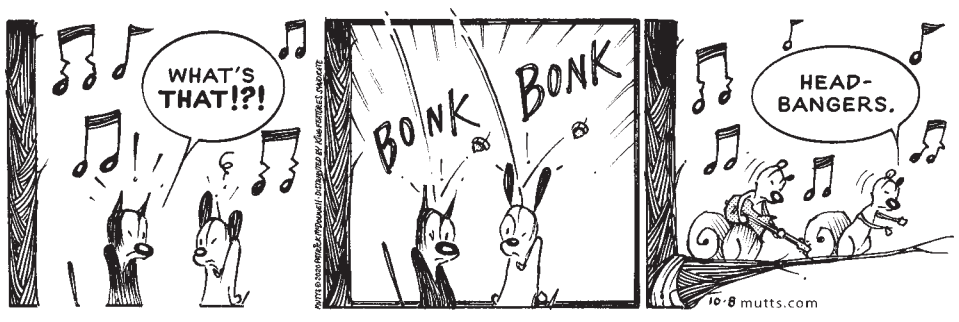

SALLY FORTH

WHEN YOU CALLED TO SAY YOU WERE COMING OVER YOU SOUNDED LIKE YOU WANTED TO TALK ABOUT SOMETHING PARTICULAR.
I DID. I MEAN, I DO...
THIS MAY SEEM A LITTLE, UH, STRANGE OR SOMETHING. OR MAYBE NOT. OR MAYBE YOU ALWAYS KNEW IT WAS ONLY A MATTER OF TIME BEFORE I BROUGHT THIS UP, BUT...
10-8
BUT YOU WANT TO KNOW IF GERALD AND I ARE STILL SEEING EACH OTHER?
UH, YES! YES! THAT'S IT! HOW ARE THINGS GOING, WHAT WITH HIM MAYBE OR MAYBE NOT BEING DEAD AND ALL?
KEEFE
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DON'T MISS

THIS WEEKEND'S

ISSUE

Included in this Saturday's edition

Parade
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STAYING HOME with MARTHA
Her quarantine survival guide
PISTACHIO CARDAMOM BUNDT, P. 9
'There's never been a better time to bake a cake!'

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Art Teacher

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Employment info at:
www.rivervalley
schools.org
Deadline: Until filled

La Porte County, IN
Commercial Food Systems, a customer service focused foodservice distributor based in Indiana, is looking for Delivery Driver candidates for it's La Porte County warehouse location. Work schedule is daily, Monday - Friday. Candidate must possess a valid Chauffeur/For Hire license. Please contact us at (317)926-4237, or by email, swright@commercialfoodsystems.com.

GENERAL HELP

Boys' JV Basketball Coach
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River Valley
School District
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schools.org
Deadline: until filled

Stevensville, MI
Delivery Crew
Assistant
$13-20 / hour
Drivers License
Required
Assist on Deliveries
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Sensationalhottubs
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The City of South Haven is seeking a full-time Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator. This position is responsible for collection system operation and maintenance. Performs laboratory analysis and creates/records data to report for and operate the Wastewater Treatment Plant. High school diploma or GED required. State of Michigan Wastewater Operator certification is required within 24 months of hire. Must hold a valid State of Michigan driver's license. To view full job posting and apply, go to south-haven.com/human_resources. Deadline for application is October 23. EOE

GENERAL HELP

Michigan City, IN
Part time position.
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Attention: Todd
4343 S Franklin St.
Michigan City,
IN 46360.
No phone calls

The Town of Trail Creek is seeking applications for a part time street employee. The candidate will work through out the week and some weekend hours, in addition to possibly being on call for a tree down or during the winter months. The candidate must have the following skills and knowledge to be eligible:
Perform routine general maintenance, operate and utilize all town equipment as directed by the street commissioner. Assist in leaf pickup , patching potholes, storm maintenance and other misc. jobs given by the street commissioner. Must have high diploma, valid drivers license and must be able to lift or carry 50lbs.
Please contact the street commissioner, Chris Ott to set up a time to get an application at 219-872-4780

Village Clerk – Village of Galien

Responsibilities include attending meetings, recording minutes, completing clerical duties, bookkeeping and payroll, tax filings, responding to resident's questions, recording and maintaining municipal documents.
Other duties include communicating and working with other departments and agencies, preparing grants, publishing ordinances and resolutions, and providing support to board of trustees.

Skills needed:
MS Office
(Excel, Word,
And Outlook),
Quickbooks
and general
office experience.

GENERAL HELP

Office Hours are Tues.: 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. and Wed.: 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Additional hours will be required at times.

Please send your resume to:
Village Clerk
Village of Galien
PO Box 296
Galien, MI 49113,
drop it off in the Black drop box at 121 S.
Cleveland Ave.,
Galien, MI or
email it to:
clerk@village
ofgalien.org

BENTON CHARTER TOWNSHIP

ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM OPERATOR

Benton Charter Township will be accepting applications for a Water Distribution System Operator beginning
October 8, 2020
through
October 16, 2020.

This is an entry level position. The position requires semiskilled work in the installation and removal, connecting and disconnecting of water meters. Work is performed under the direction of the Water Distribution System Supervisor. The Water Distribution System Operator must be able to routinely perform, after sufficient training, duties involving water distribution system construction, repair, operations, including water meter reading, installation, testing, and repair, cross connection compliance, and general system administration.

All applicants must possess a high school diploma, must obtain an S-4 operator certification within the time requirements of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality.
In addition, all applicants must be able to pass physical examination and drug/alcohol screening test, background check, and possess a commercial driver's license. Other minimum qualifications apply.

Beginning salary is $30,000 to $40,000 with benefits.

Applications may be obtained at the Benton Charter Township Hall, 1725 Territorial Rd.,

GENERAL HELP

Bldg. B.,
Benton Harbor,
Michigan 49022. All applications and/or resumes should be sent to Mike Baldwin,
Water Department Supervisor, 555 N. Crystal Ave., Benton Harbor, Michigan 49022, email mbaldwin@bentoncharter township-mi.gov
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Township Clerk

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PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT

CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER WANTED

The City of New Buffalo is accepting applications for a part-time Code Enforcement Officer. Under supervision of the City Manager and Chief of Police, the Code Enforcement Officer conducts on-site inspections throughout the City to determine compliance with the City's Short-Term Rental Ordinance, state and local codes, ordinances, and standards pertaining to public health, welfare, and safety. This position investigates potential violations, follows established procedures for achieving abatement and compliance where warranted, maintains related records and performs other related duties.

Applications are available at www.cityof newbuffalo.org or can be picked up and returned to the New Buffalo City Hall located at 224 W. Buffalo Street, New Buffalo, MI 49117. Applicants must be 18 years of age or older, able to interact with the public, initiate public contact, work independently and take direction from the City

PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT

Administration. Computer skills are essential. Code Enforcement is expected to work no more than 29 flexible hours a week including weekends. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

Questions can be directed to the City Manager at 269-469-1500 or manager@cityofnewbuffalo.org.

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

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FINANCIAL

GARAGE /ESTATE SALES

GARAGE/ESTATE SALES

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hunting things, clothes,guns, fishing stuff, Minkota 65 trolling motor, DVD/VCR players, lawn roller, snow blower, snow shovels, pile of 4x4x1/4 angle hon, aluminum ext. ladder, jewelry, plus sized women's clothes, shoes, boots, men's clothing, lawn spader, handicap walkers, dishes, nicknacks, flat screen tv, large roaster, metal car ramps, too much to list, you snooze you lose! Face masks required

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Eastern Time
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Pottawattomie Park
Saturday & Sunday
OCT 9 & 10
9:00am - 3:00pm

GARAGE/ESTATE SALES

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Benton Harbor, MI
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St. Joseph, MI

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HOROSCOPE

By EUGENIA LAST

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8

Follow your heart and pursue your goals. Study and prepare for the changes you want to make. Align yourself with people who share your interests and aims. Keep the peace and distance yourself from people you find too demanding. Avoid excessive behavior and no-win situations.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Use your energy wisely. Do your best to keep the peace. Consider where you will make the most progress and work on something that will bring concrete results. Exercise discipline and common sense.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Stop being so hard on yourself. It's time to do something that brings you peace, happiness and satisfaction. You are overdue for a change.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Energy and enthusiasm will help you excel. Don't waste time on trivial matters – trust in what you know, not in hearsay. Someone will lead you astray if given the chance.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You may want to rethink how you handle your personal and professional affairs. Staying balanced will be necessary if you wish to bring about a change at home or work.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Be a leader, not a follower. Work on personal adjustments that will make your life more enjoyable. Don't say anything you don't mean or make promises you aren't going to honor.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Spend more time nurturing meaningful relationships. Look for innovative ways to help a cause or those in need. A financial opportunity is heading your way. Romance is favored.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Control your emotions and temper. Concentrate on taking care of your responsibilities and living up to your expectations. Work alone, if possible, to avoid interference, and don't share your thoughts or secrets with colleagues.

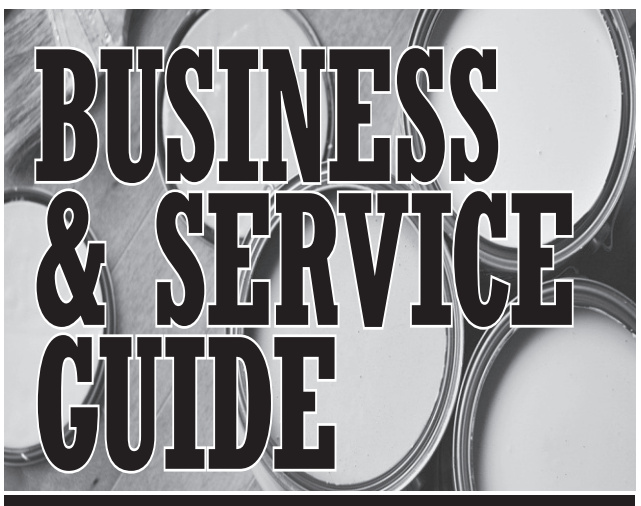
TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A unique idea will help you seal a deal or attract interest. A work-related matter will encourage a lifestyle change. Romance is favored.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Take better care of your home and health. Doing research will be vital if you want to avoid making a mistake. Refuse to let anyone take advantage of your kindness or skills.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Let your intuition guide you. A positive change will lead to an exciting opportunity. A partnership will turn out to be a blessing in disguise once you iron out your differences.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Get involved in something that concerns you. Don't watch from the sidelines. An opportunity to do something that will benefit others will work out well.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Concentrate on your priorities, and bring about the changes necessary to achieve your goals. Romance will enhance your relationship with someone special.



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THE GUIDE

Editor's Note: In these uncertain times, events can change quickly. Be sure to check with each venue for the latest updates and possible cancellations.

Today

Thursday Night Talks: Growing Up House of David: 6:30-8 p.m., History Center at Courthouse Square, 313 N. Cass St., Berrien Springs; free; 471-1202 or www.berrienhistory.org

Friday

Kody Bryant: 3 p.m., **The Juniors:** 7 p.m., Four Winds Casino Resort's Hard Rock Cafe, 11111 Wilson Road, New Buffalo; 866-494-6371 or www.fourwindscasino.com

Jimmy Fastiggi: 3:45-6:45 p.m., Dablon Vineyards, 111 W. Shawnee Road, Baroda; free; 422-2846 or www.dablon.com

Michael McIntosh: 6-9 p.m., Vineyard 2121 Winery & Tasting Room, 4110 Red Arrow Highway, Benton Harbor; free; 849-0109 or www.vineyard2121.com

Saturday

Harvest & Wine Festival: noon-11 p.m., North Whitaker Street, New Buffalo; 888-660-6222 or www.newbuffalo.org

Spooky State Street Tour hosted by the History Center at Courthouse Square: 1-4 p.m., Bear Park, Market and State streets, St. Joseph; $10 adults, $5 children; tours every half hour, 20 people maximum per tour; 471-1202 or www.berrienhistory.org

Imphormal: 3 p.m., **Keith Semple:** 7 p.m., Four Winds Casino Resort's Hard Rock Cafe, 11111 Wilson Road, New Buffalo; 866-494-6371 or www.fourwindscasino.com

Shelby Lentz: 6-9 p.m., Vineyard 2121 Winery & Tasting Room, 4110 Red Arrow Highway, Benton Harbor; free; 849-0109 or www.vineyard2121.com

The Acorn Theater Anywhere presents Miles Nielsen & The Rusted Hearts: 7 p.m., Fernwood Botanical Garden and Nature Preserve, 13988 Range Line Road, Niles; sold out; 756-3879 or www.acornlive.org

Andrews University Symphony Orchestra fall concert (livestreamed via Facebook): 8 p.m. 471-3560 or howard.andrews.edu, www.facebook.com/AndrewsUniversityMusic

Sunday

Matt Gabriel: 2:30-5:30 p.m., Dablon Vineyards, 111 W. Shawnee Road, Baroda; free; 422-2846 or www.dablon.com

Andrews University Sunday Music Series presents flutist Aleksandra Kemble (livestreamed): 4 p.m., 471-3560 or howard.andrews.edu

Tuesday

Trivia Tuesday: 7:30 p.m., Arclight Brewing Co., 544 N. Main St., Watervliet; 332-0718 or www.arclightbrewing.com

Oct. 15

Gallery tour with Eli Zilke: 6-6:30 p.m. (free, via Zoom), 7-8 p.m. (in person, $15); Krasl Art Center, 707 Lake Blvd., St. Joseph; 983-0271 or www.krasl.org

Oct. 16

Mike Talbot: 3 p.m., **Linz & Cello:** 7 p.m., Four Winds Casino Resort's Hard Rock Cafe, 11111 Wilson Road, New Buffalo; 866-494-6371 or www.fourwindscasino.com

Lynn Callahan: 3:45-6:45 p.m., Dablon Vineyards, 111 W. Shawnee Road, Baroda; free; 422-2846 or www.dablon.com

The Backsliders: 6-9 p.m., Vineyard 2121 Winery & Tasting Room, 4110 Red Arrow Highway, Benton Harbor; free; 849-0109 or www.vineyard2121.com

The Mendel Center presents "Ben Seidman: Camera Tricks": 8 p.m.; livestreamed via Zoom (100 passes available); $27.50; 927-8700 or www.themendelcenter.com

Oct. 17

Miachel Paterson: 3 p.m., **The Juniors:** 7 p.m., Four Winds Casino Resort's Hard Rock Cafe, 11111 Wilson Road, New Buffalo; 866-494-6371 or www.fourwindscasino.com

Oct. 18

Robert Rolfe Feddersen: 2-5 p.m., Haymarket Taproom, 9301 Red Arrow Highway, Bridgman; free; 266-5050 or www.haymarketbeer.com

Marty Miles: 2:30-5:30 p.m., Dablon Vineyards, 111 W. Shawnee Road, Baroda; free; 422-2846 or www.dablon.com

Oct. 20

Trivia Tuesday: 7:30 p.m., Arclight Brewing Co., 544 N. Main St., Watervliet; 332-0718 or www.arclightbrewing.com

Oct. 23

CheckMark Sallie: 3 p.m., **DaZed and ConfuZed:** 7 p.m., Four Winds Casino Resort's Hard Rock Cafe, 11111 Wilson Road, New Buffalo; 866-494-6371 or www.fourwindscasino.com

Dale Wicks: 3:45-6:45 p.m., Dablon Vineyards, 111 W. Shawnee Road, Baroda; free; 422-2846 or www.dablon.com

Funk Fest featuring Hannah Rose and the GraveTones: 9 p.m., The Livery, 190 Fifth St., Benton Harbor; $10 suggested admission; 925-8760 or www.liverybrew.com

Oct. 24

Chris Behre: 3 p.m., **The Juniors:** 7 p.m., Four Winds Casino Resort's Hard Rock Cafe, 11111 Wilson Road, New Buffalo; 866-494-6371 or www.fourwindscasino.com

Ghoulish Graveyard Tour hosted by the History Center at Courthouse Square: 4-6 p.m. (seniors and high-risk individuals), 6-9 p.m. (general public), Lakeview Cemetery, 1918 Lakeview Ave., St. Joseph; $10 adults, $5 children; tours every half hour, 20 people maximum per tour; 471-1202 or www.berrienhistory.org

Andrews University Wind Symphony fall concert (livestreamed): 8 p.m., 471-3560 or howard.andrews.edu

Funk Fest featuring Seth Bernard presents "Eggtones For Funk": 8:30 p.m., The Livery, 190 Fifth St., Benton Harbor; $10-$15; 925-8760 or www.liverybrew.com

ONGOING

ART EXHIBITS

"Human Interest: Four Figurative Sculptures" (outdoors): through Oct. 17, **"Artists As Influencers: Pathways in Glass"** and "**Shelter-in-Place"** (virtual and in-person exhibits): through Nov. 29, **"2020 Members' Show: Inspired By ...":** Dec. 4-Jan. 10, Krasl Art Center, 707 Lake Blvd., St. Joseph; free; 983-0271 or www.krasl.org

"Fantastical Flora and Fauna" (virtual exhibit): through Nov. 7, South Haven Center for the Arts, 600 Phoenix St., South Haven; free; 637-1041 or www.southhavenarts.org

"To the Polls: Elections & Politics in Berrien County": through Nov. 22, **"A Community Curated: With a Bow":** Dec. 2-23, History Center at Courthouse Square, 313 N. Cass St., Berrien Springs; free; 471-1202 or www.berrienhistory.org

"The Keepers of the Fire: The Pokagon Band of Potawatomi": through summer 2021; The Heritage Museum and Cultural Center, 601 Main St., St. Joseph; free; 983-1191 or www.theheritagemcc.org

FILM

Virtual screenings: "Conviction": $10 for 3-day rental; **"RGB":** $6.99 (to own); **"A Chef's Voyage":** $10; **"Blackbird":** $9.99; **"Desert One":** $4.99 for 3-day rental; **"August Virgin":** $12; **"Made in Bangladesh":** $12; **"Jazz on a Summer's Day":** $10 for 5 days; Vickers Theatre, 6 N. Elm St., Three Oaks; 756-3522 or vickerstheatre.com

ATTRACTIONS

Niles Scream Park: 7-11 p.m. Oct. 9-10, 16-17, 23-24, 30-31; 7-10 p.m. Oct. 11, 18, 25, Nov. 6-7; Niles Scream Park, 855 Mayflower Road, Niles; $5-$15 individual attraction tickets, $28-$45 combination packages; 687-3327 or www.haunted.org

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IN BRIEF

AU Symphony Orchestra sets livestream concert

BERRIEN SPRINGS — After six months, the Andrews University Symphony Orchestra will return for its first public performance of the fall 2020 semester this Saturday.

The livestreamed event entitled "Awakening" will be available at 8 p.m on facebook.com/AndrewsUniversityMusic.

The first piece, titled "Mother and Child," was composed in 1943 by American composer William Grant Still. The second composition is a famous waltz by Johann Strauss II titled "On the Beautiful Blue Danube." The third piece is "Jota," a dance excerpt from Spanish composer Manuel de Falla's ballet "The Three-Cornered Hat."

Following an intermission, the event will continue with a composition that was first titled "Finland Awakes" when composer Jean Sibelius wrote it in 1899. Now known by the title "Finlandia," it is an inspiring example of courage and hope arising out of darker times. The fifth and final piece on the program, "Russian Easter Festival Overture," is a depiction of an Easter weekend as envisioned by composer Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov in his Russian Easter Festival Overture.

For more information, visit http://howard.andrews.edu/.

The Mendel Center launches fundraising campaign

BENTON TOWNSHIP — More than 125 events scheduled at The Mendel Center at Lake Michigan College have been canceled since March due to the coronavirus pandemic.

Those cancellations have been felt through layoffs, furloughs and a 50 percent budget reduction.

That's why the center has launched the Creating Bridges Challenge Campaign, with the help of a $50,000 matching grant from the Frederick S. Upton Foundation.

The campaign has a goal of raising $150,000. So far, it has raised $14,500, or $29,000 with the grant.

The money will go toward critical operational expenses including equipment maintenance, licensing, and retention of staff who are developing virtual opportunities now, and who will prepare for in-person programming when allowed.

For more information and to donate to the campaign, visit www.themendelcenter.com/support/contribute/, call 927-8700, or email mnadolski@lakemichigancollege.edu.

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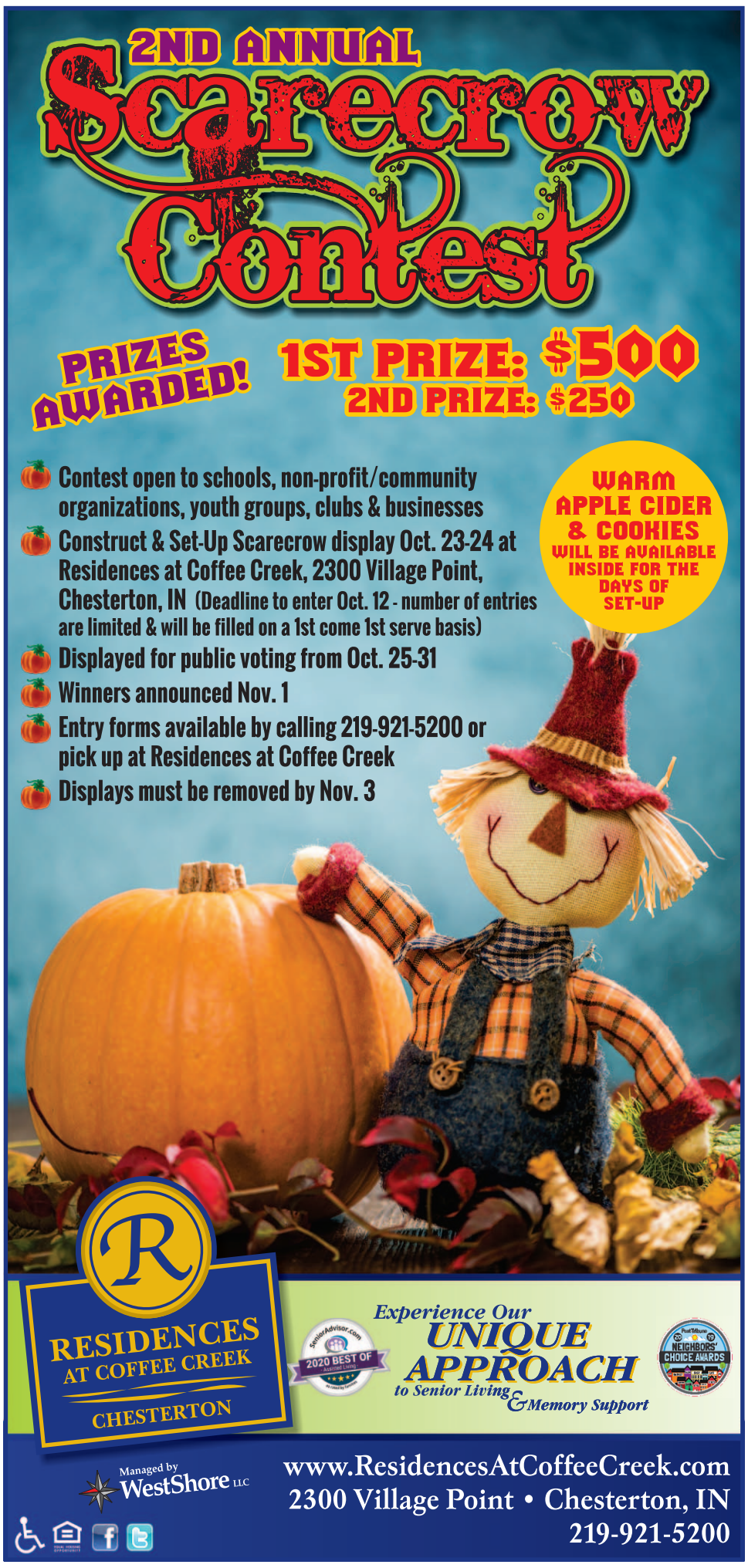
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